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NIGHT LEAD IRAQ (240)
BY RONALD THOMSON

LONDON, MARCH 30 (AP)—BRITAIN TODAY ANNOUNCED AGREEMENT WITH IRAQ TO PULL OUT ITS LAST AIR FORCE GARRISON FROM THE TURBULENT OIL LAND IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

THE MOVE WAS FORCED BY IRAQ'S WITHDRAWAL FROM THE BRITISH-SPONSORED BAGHDAD PACT LAST WEEK.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID 300 ROYAL AIR FORCE MEN AND THEIR 60 DEPENDENTS WOULD BE WITHDRAWN SHORTLY FROM SUN-SCORCHED HABBANIYA AIR BASE IN THE DESERT 50 MILES WEST OF BAGHDAD. THE BASE COST BRITAIN 8 3/4 MILLION DOLLARS WHEN BUILT BY THE RAF 20 YEARS AGO.

IT WAS HANDED OVER TO THE IRAQIS AFTER WORLD WAR II BUT BRITAIN RETAINED A SECTION OF IT AS A STAGING POST FOR RAF PLANES FLYING TO AND FROM THE MIDDLE EAST.

FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMEN SAID THE QUESTION OF FUTURE STAGING RIGHTS IS BEING NEGOTIATED BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS.

THE FATE OF THE RAF GARRISON AT HABBANIYA HAD BEEN IN DOUBT EVER SINCE THE IRAQI REVOLUTION WHICH SWEEPED PREMIER ABDEL KARIM KASSEM TO POWER LAST JULY. BRITISH BASE PERSONNEL HAVE BEEN GROUNDLED SINCE THE REBELLION ON ORDERS OF THE REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID IRAQ'S WITHDRAWAL FROM THE BAGHDAD PACT HAD AUTOMATICALLY "LAPSED" A 1955 AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO NATIONS FOR STATIONING BRITISH MILITARY PERSONNEL IN IRAQ.

GOVERNMENT SOURCES TENDED TO PLAY DOWN ANY POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS IN THE RAF PULLOUT.

THE MACMILLAN GOVERNMENT IS DETERMINED TO MAINTAIN ITS POLICY OF FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH THE KASSEM REGIME, ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF SOVIET RUSSIA'S DRIVE TO SWING IRAQ INTO THE COMMUNIST FIELD OF INFLUENCE.

OFFICIAL SPOKESMEN HAVE STRESSED THAT BRITAIN STANDS BY ITS DECISION TO SUPPLY ARMS TO IRAQ DESPITE THE ARAB STATE'S WITHDRAWAL FROM THE BAGHDAD PACT.

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PRECEDE CAIRO DAY IRAQ (WITH LONDON)

BAGHDAD, IRAQ, MARCH 30 (AP)—THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED A FIRING SQUAD TODAY EXECUTED FOUR AIR FORCE OFFICERS CONVICTED OF REBELLION IN NORTHERN IRAQ THREE WEEKS AGO.

THE EXECUTIONS WERE THE FIRST TO BE CARRIED OUT AGAINST ANY OF THE 17 PERSONS SENTENCED TO DEATH BY THE BAGHDAD PEOPLE'S COURT SINCE THE ABORTIVE REVOLT IN THE OIL CITY OF MOSUL.

THE FOUR AIRMEN WERE CONDEMNED LAST SATURDAY. THEY WERE: COL. ABDULLAH NAJI; CAPT. KASSIM EL AZAWI; 2ND LT. ACHMED ASHURE AND 2ND LT. FADHIL NASSER.

A GUIDANCE MINISTRY OFFICIAL SAID THE FAMILIES OF THE CONDEMNED WERE PRESENT AND THAT CO. NAJI'S WIFE SPAT ON HER HUSBAND'S BODY.

THE FOREIGN MINISTRY ANNOUNCED DISMISSALS OF NINE DIPLOMATS FROM POSTS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES FOLLOWING THE RESIGNATION OF THE AMBASSADOR TO CAIRO, FAYEK SAMIRAI, AND TWO MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF.

DISMISSED WERE SALEH EHDI, COUNSELLOR OF THE MBASSY IN WASHINGTON; HASHIM HILLI, CONSUL IN NEW YORK; SAFA WAHAB, CONSUL GENERAL IN ISTANBUL; THE SUPERINTENDENTS OF THE EMBASSIES IN BEIRUT AND TUNIS, AND THE CONSULATE IN BOMBAY; ANOTHER SUPERINTENDENT WHOSE POST WAS NOT DISCLOSED. AND SECRETARIES IN KHARTOUM AND TEHRAN.

THE MINISTRY SAID IT HAD ORDERED SAMIRAI TO RETURN TO BAGHDAD FOR CONSULTATIONS MARCH 26 AND HE DESERTED HIS POST INSTEAD. SAMIRAI HAS INDICATED IN CAIRO HE MIGHT SEEK POLITICAL ASYLUM IN BEIRUT, LEBANON.

THE FOREIGN MINISTRY ALSO ANNOUNCED THE APPOINTMENT OF NAJIB SAYEGH, AN OPPOSITION DEPUTY IN PARLIAMENT BEFORE THE REVOLUTION LAST JULY 14, WHICH DESTROYED IRAQ'S PRO-WESTERN MONARCHY, AS AMBASSADOR TO LEBANON.

SAMIRAI, THE FIRST ENVOY APPOINTED BY THE REGIME OF PREMIER ABDEL KARIM KASSEM AFTER THE REVOLUTION, WAS A LEADER OF IRAQ'S INTENSELY NATIONALISTIC ISTIQLAL (INDEPENDENCE) PARTY AND FAVORED CLOSER TIES WITH THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC.

THE BAGHDAD PRESS THIS MORNING DENOUNCED SAMIRAI AS A TRAITOR. THE LEFTIST AL THAWRA SAID "SAMIRAI WAS NOT AN AMBASSADOR AS MUCH AS A U.A.R. FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL."

DHUNOUN AYOUB, RECENTLY APPOINTED DIRECTOR GENERAL OF GUIDANCE, SAID SAMIRAI'S ROLE IN THE RECENT MOSUL PLOT WILL BE REVEALED IN THE PEOPLE'S COURT.

DENUNCIATIONS OF U.A.R. PRESIDENT NASSER AND HIS ALLEGED IMPERIALIST BACKERS ARE CONTINUING IN NEWSPAPERS EVEN AFTER KASSEM'S PLEA OF A WEEK AGO FOR MODERATION.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE GOVERNMENT CRUSHED THE MOSUL REVOLT, KASSEM ACCUSED THE U.A.R. OF PLOTTING IT.

KASSEM TOLD EDITORS LAST WEEK, HOWEVER, THAT IT WAS ALL RIGHT TO ATTACK IMPERIALISTS IN A BROAD SENSE BUT ADVISED AGAINST SINGLING OUT ANY COUNTRY BY NAME.

THE RED ORGAN ITTIHAD AL SHAAB SAID NEW PLOTS ARE BEING HATCHED IN THE U.A.R. AGAINST IRAQ, ADDING, "THESE RECKLESS ATTEMPTS ARE IN DIRECT AGREEMENT WITH THE ANGLO-AMERICAN ATTEMPTS TO CONSPIRE AGAINST AND ATTACK IRAQ."

THE COMMUNIST PAPER CLAIMED THE RECENT TALKS IN WASHINGTON BETWEEN PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND BRITISH PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN "DISCUSSED PLANS OF DIRECT OR INDIRECT ARMED INTERFERENCE AGAINST IRAQ."

ITTIHAD AL SHAAB SAID IT HAS "MOST RELIABLE INFORMATION" THAT TRIBES ARE BEING MOBILIZED ON IRAQ'S FRONTIERS "TO CARRY OUT AGGRESSIVE ACTS AGAINST IRAQ . . . COMMANDO FORCES ARE BEING PREPARED TO CARRY OUT CRIMES AND ASSASSINATIONS."

SIMILAR REPORTS THAT DISSIDENT SHAMMAR TRIBESMEN WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE MOSUL REVOLT WERE MASSING ON THE NORTHWESTERN BORDERS HAVE BEEN CIRCULATING IN NON-IRAQI CIRCLES HERE.

SHEIK ACHMAD AJIL ALLDYAWAR, HEAD OF TENS OF THOUSANDS OF SHAMMAR TRIBESMEN IN IRAQ, SYRIA, JORDAN, AND SAUDI ARABIA WAS ABLE TO ESCAPE TO SYRIA AFTER HIS PALACE IN MOSUL WAS GUTTED BY LOYALIST FORCES, BUT TWO LESSER SHAMMAR SHEIKS AND HUNDREDS OF TRIBESMEN WERE KILLED.

UNDER THEIR TRIBAL CODE REVENGE MUST BE SOUGHT, EVEN IF IT TAKES YEARS.

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UNDATED MIDDLE EAST (400)

BY WILLIAM L. RYAN
AP FOREIGN NEWS ANALYST

WORRIED EUROPEAN STATESMEN ARE WONDERING WHETHER THE LATEST ARAB WAR OF WORDS WILL PLUNGE THE MIDDLE EAST INTO A NEW GENERAL CRISIS.

IN ANY SHOWDOWN BETWEEN IRAQ AND PRESIDENT GAMAL ABDEL NASSER'S UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, NASSER HOLDS A TRUMP CARD. GIVEN SUFFICIENT PROVOCATION FROM RISING COMMUNIST AUTHORITY IN IRAQ, HE MAY USE IT.

IRAQ'S ECONOMY DEPENDS ALMOST TOTALLY UPON OIL. APART FROM THE INTERNAL USE OF IT, IRAQ REALIZES SOMETHING LIKE 300 MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR ANNUALLY FROM OIL EXPORTS THROUGH THE IRAQ PETROLEUM CORP., A BRITISH-OPERATED COMPANY IN WHICH AMERICAN OIL COMPANIES HAVE A HEAVY INVESTMENT.

THE BULK OF IRAQI OIL PRODUCTION IS PUMPED THROUGH PIPELINES TO THE MEDITERRANEAN. THESE LINES CROSS MORE THAN 260 MILES OF SYRIAN TERRITORY, ONE BRANCH EXTENDING TO THE SYRIAN PORT OF BANIYAS, THE OTHER TO THE LEBANESE PORT OF TRIPOLI.

NASSER COULD HURT THE IRAQI ECONOMY SIMPLY BY GIVING THE ORDER TO TURN THE VALVES IN HIS SYRIAN TERRITORY. THE LAST TIME THIS FLOW WAS CUT--DURING THE SUEZ CRISIS IN 1956--IRAQ'S ECONOMY SUFFERED SEVERELY. IT HAD NOT FULLY RECOVERED FROM THE EFFECTS LAST JULY WHEN REVOLUTION DESTROYED THE IRAQI MONARCHY IN THE MIDST OF A GENERAL MIDDLE EAST CRISIS.

IRAQ'S PREMIER ABDEL KARIM KASSEM, DESPERATELY HOLDING OFF THE PRESSURE OF PAN-ARAB NATIONALISM FOR UNION OF IRAQ WITH NASSER'S U.A.R., HAS SHORN HIMSELF OF VIRTUALLY ALL SUPPORT EXCEPT FROM THE LEFT. COMMUNIST STRENGTH IN THE COUNTRY APPARENTLY IS INCREASING FROM DAY TO DAY. THE IRAQI ARMY'S OFFICER CORPS HAS BEEN THE TARGET OF A SEVERE PURGE, BUT EVEN NOW ITS LOYALTY TO A PREMIER IN A RED TRAP IS QUESTIONABLE.

BUT IF NASSER SHOULD CUT THE PIPELINES ACROSS U.A.R. TERRITORY, IT SEEMS LIKELY THE SHAKY KASSEM REGIME WOULD BE MOVED TO DESPERATE MEASURES. AT THE LEAST, THE WEST COULD LOOK FOR RENEWED TURMOIL THROUGHOUT AN AREA WHOSE OIL TURNS THE WHEELS OF EUROPEAN INDUSTRY.

IT COULD TAKE LESS THAN AN OPEN, PHYSICAL COMMUNIST TAKEOVER OF POWER IN BAGHDAD TO STIR NASSER TO ACTION. THERE IS, IN FACT, SOME REASON TO DOUBT WHETHER MOSCOW ACTUALLY WANTS THE COMMUNISTS TO SEIZE THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT OPENLY, NO MATTER HOW POWERFUL THEY MAY BECOME.

A COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT IN AN OIL-PRODUCING MIDDLE EAST AREA WOULD HAVE LOUD REPERCUSSIONS IN THE WEST. AND IT WOULD SOLIDIFY THE RANKS OF OTHER ARAB LEADERS AGAINST THE EASTERN BLOC'S PRESSURE. IRAQ HAS NO BORDER WITH ANY COMMUNIST STATE, AND IT IS DOUBTFUL THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE YET READY TO HAVE AGGRESSIVE COMMUNISM LEAP OVER A TERRITORIAL BARRIER.

THE COMMUNIST AIM HAS NOT SEEMED TO BE SEIZURE OF REAL ESTATE IN THE MIDDLE EAST. INSTEAD, IT HAS BEEN TO PROMOTE GENERAL TURMOIL WHICH MIGHT KEEP THE AREA OFF BALANCE AND REDUCE ITS DEPENDABILITY AS WESTERN EUROPE'S CHIEF SOURCE OF OIL.

ANY COMMUNISTS WHO PROMOTE ARAB-ARAB CONFLICT SERVE MOSCOW AIMS.
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NIGHT LEAD MARCH (220)

BY PETER GROSE

LONDON, MARCH 30 (AP)--CHEERING DEMONSTRATORS WOUND UP A FOUR-DAY PROTEST MARCH IN THE HEART OF LONDON TODAY WITH BANDS BLARING AND LOUD DEMANDS FOR BRITAIN TO SCRAP NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

THE MARCHERS WERE ESTIMATED TO NUMBER 15,000 PERHAPS THE LARGEST SINCE WORLD WAR II.

SPEAKERS TOLD THE RALLY THE TIDE OF THE BAN-THE-BOMB CAMPAIGN WOULD TURN IN THEIR FAVOR NOW BECAUSE BRITAIN'S POLITICAL PARTIES COULD NOT FAIL TO NOTICE THEIR NUMERICAL STRENGTH.

IT BROUGHT A SEVEN-MILE (CQ) COLUMN OF SINGING MARCHERS SURGING INTO THE CAPITAL ON THE LAST STAGE OF A 53-MILE CROSS-COUNTRY TREK FROM BRITAIN'S NUCLEAR LABORATORY AT ALDERMASTON.

TRAFFIC WAS SNARLED FOR MILES AS THE DEMONSTRATORS STREAMED INTO TRAFALGAR SQUARE.

THERE. UNDER THE STATUE OF LORD NELSON, AND WHILE JAZZ BANDS PLAYED,

THEY POURED OUT THEIR DEMANDS FOR NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT.

AS THE PROCESSION APPROACHED THE CENTER OF LONDON, SOME LEADERS PEELED OFF TO HAND A PETITION TO A POLICEMAN AT THE DOOR OF NO. 10 DOWNING ST., PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN'S OFFICIAL RESIDENCE.

"NUCLEAR WEAPONS ARE WHOLLY EVIL," THE PETITION READ. IT CALLED ON THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT TO STOP MANUFACTURING AND TESTING NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND RENOUNCE THEIR USE.

JACQUETTA HAWKES, WIFE OF AUTHOR J.B. PRIESTLEY, HAD LED THE MARCH FROM ALDERMASTON.

TODAY'S BRIGHT SUN ATTRACTED THOUSANDS TO THE DEMONSTRATION-- GIRLS IN SKIN-TIGHT JEANS, ARTISTS WITH YELLOW FORSYTHIA IN THEIR BEARDS, YOUNG PARENTS PUSHING BABY CARRIAGES, AT LEAST ONE BLIND MAN, AND A CRIPPLED MAN IN A LITTLE CART.

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FIRST LEAD PILOT

HEIDELBERG, GERMANY, MARCH 30 (AP)--A MISSING AMERICAN SPORTS PLANE PILOTTED BY A U.S. ARMY CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE WAS OBSERVED LANDING IN EAST GERMANY, A U.S. ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID TODAY.

THE ARMY STATEMENT SAID A U.S. PATROL WITNESSED THE LANDING OF THE SINGLE-ENGINE TWO-SEATER PLANE LAST FRIDAY AFTERNOON JUST OVER THE EAST GERMAN BORDER NEAR DIPPACH.

THE CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE WAS IDENTIFIED AS E. A. (CORRECT) VAUGHAN, 32, AN EMPLOYEE OF THE ARMY POST'S EXCHANGE SYSTEM IN EAST WEST GERMANY. THE EXCHANGE MANAGES ARMY SNACK BARS AND POST EXCHANGE STORES.

THE BRIEF ARMY STATEMENT SAID ARMY AUTHORITIES HAVE RECEIVED NO OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION THAT VAUGHAN'S PLANE CAME DOWN BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN. IT ADDED:

"THE YELLOW-AND-GREEN 'PIPER CUB' AIRCRAFT WAS SPOTTED AT THE BORDER AT APPROXIMATELY 5 P.M. FRIDAY, SOME FOUR HOURS AFTER VAUGHAN DEPARTED FROM AN AIRSTRIP AT MANNHEIM FOR AN ANNOUNCED 75-MINUTE FLIGHT TO NUERNBERG.

"THE PLANE IS BELIEVED TO BE THE PERSONAL PROPERTY OF VAUGHAN, A LICENSED CIVILIAN PILOT."

EARLIER, A SPOKESMAN AT THE ARMY'S EUROPEAN HEADQUARTERS HERE HAD SAID THERE ARE "STRONG INDICATIONS" THAT VAUGHAN HAD LANDED IN EAST GERMANY.

VAUGHAN'S WIFE HAD SAID HER HUSBAND BECAME LOST ON A FLIGHT FROM MANNHEIM TO NUERNBERG FRIDAY AND STRAYED ACROSS THE IRON CURTAIN INTO SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY. SHE SAID SHE DID NOT KNOW WHERE HE WAS BEING HELD BUT "I KNOW THAT HE IS ALL RIGHT." SHE DECLINED TO SAY HOW SHE HAD OBTAINED THIS INFORMATION.

BOTH ARMY AUTHORITIES AND MRS. VAUGHAN DECLINED TO DISCLOSE THE FLIER'S ADDRESS IN THE UNITED STATES.

ARMY AUTHORITIES ALSO DECLINED TO SAY WHAT STEPS IF ANY WERE UNDER WAY TO OBTAIN THE FLIER'S RELEASE. A SPOKESMAN SAID ONLY THAT "A LOT OF RED TAPE IS INVOLVED IN THESE THINGS."

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AP FOREIGN SERVICE ADVANCE FOR TUESDAY AMS MARCH 31

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

(ADVANCE) BERLIN, MARCH 30 (AP)--THE EAST-WEST BATTLE FOR BERLIN EXTENDS TODAY INTO THE THEATRES, OPERA HOUSES AND CONCERT HALLS OF THIS DIVIDED CITY.

"ART IS A WEAPON," PROCLAIM THE EAST BERLIN COMMUNISTS AS THEY SEEK TO ATTRACT AUDIENCES WITH LAVISH PRODUCTIONS.

"COME LOOK THROUGH OUR WINDOW AND SEE WHAT FREE WORLD CULTURE HAS TO OFFER," RETORT THE WEST BERLINERS.

NEITHER EAST NOR WEST CAN CLAIM OVER-ALL SUPREMACY IN THIS CONTEST--FOUGHT BY SINGERS, ACTORS, MUSICIANS AND WRITERS--FOR THE

ATTENTION AND MINDS OF 3,300,000 BERLINERS.
FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION GIVES THE WEST BERLINER ARTISTS AN EDGE OVER THE EAST.

COMMUNIST PRODUCTIONS OFTEN OUTSHINE THOSE IN THE WEST, HOWEVER, BECAUSE THEY ARE HEAVILY SUBSIDIZED BY THE STATE. ALSO SPECIAL CUT-RATE TICKETS ARE ALLOWED EAST BERLINERS IN WEST BERLIN, BUT ADMISSION PRICES GENERALLY ARE LOWER IN THE COMMUNIST SECTOR. THE COMMUNIST ADVANTAGE OF STATE SUBSIDY IS MOST EVIDENT IN OPERA, AN ART ESPECIALLY DEAR TO THE BERLINERS.

WEST BERLIN'S MUNICIPAL OPERA HAS A BRILLIANT MANAGER AND DIRECTOR IN CARL EBERT, A GERMAN-BORN AMERICAN, WHO RECENTLY ENJOYED SMASH SUCCESS AS A GUEST CONDUCTOR AT NEW YORK'S METROPOLITAN.

BUT EBERT MUST STAGE HIS PRODUCTIONS IN A SECOND-RATE OPERA HOUSE WHILE RECONSTRUCTION OF WEST BERLIN'S BOMBED-OUT OPERA PROCEEDS SLOWLY. EBERT GETS ONLY LIMITED FINANCIAL AID FROM THE CITY.

IN EAST BERLIN, THE STAATS OPERA (S.O) PERFORMS IN A MAGNIFICENT NEW OPERA HOUSE. MONEY IS POURED INTO MAKING THE PRODUCTIONS MORE STRIKINGLY ELABORATE THAN ANYTHING IN PROSPEROUS WEST BERLIN.

SOME WEST GERMAN OPERA STARS, ATTRACTED BY BIGGER SALARIES, COMMUTE DAILY FROM WEST BERLIN TO SING IN THE COMMUNIST SECTOR.

EAST BERLIN PROBABLY BOASTS THE FINEST LIGHT OPERA COMPANY IN THE WORLD. THE DIRECTOR OF THE KOMISCHE OPER (CQ) (CAPS K.O) HAS STAYED IN THE EAST BECAUSE OF THE FINANCIAL BACKING FROM THE REDS.

FOR EXAMPLE, THE KOMISCHE OPER WAS ALLOWED THE EXTRAVAGANCE OF REHEARSING ITS PRODUCTION OF OFFENBACH'S "TALES OF HOFFMAN" FOR AN ENTIRE YEAR BEFORE THE PUBLIC SHOWING.

WEST BERLIN EXCELS IN THE CONCERT FIELD, HOWEVER. THE EAST HAS NOTHING TO COMPARE WITH THE BERLIN PHILHARMONIC, ONE OF THE WORLD'S TOP ORCHESTRAS.

EAST BERLINERS ALSO SWARM TO THE WEST TO HEAR SUCH VISITING JAZZ ARTISTS AS AMERICA'S LOUIS ARMSTRONG. THE COMMUNISTS TAKE A DIM VIEW OF WESTERN JAZZ.

IN SERIOUS THEATRE, EAST BERLIN'S FINEST OFFERINGS COME FROM THE BERLINER ENSEMBLE, DEVOTED MOSTLY TO THE PLAYS OF BERTOLT BRECHT.

BRECHT, THE AUSTRIAN-BORN DARLING OF THE GERMAN LEFT-WING THEATRE, DIED IN BERLIN IN 1956. HE WROTE AN ARRAY OF CONTROVERSIAL POLITICAL PLAYS AS WELL AS THE LYRICS OF THE FAMOUS "THREEPENNY OPERA."

WEST BERLIN CRITICS WERE AMONG THOSE CHEERING THE RECENT PREMIERE OF BRECHT'S "ARRESTABLE ASCENT OF ARTURO UI."

WRITTEN IN 1941, THE PLAY TELLS OF A BIG-TIME GANGSTER WHO IS A COMPOSITE OF AL CAPONE AND ADOLF HITLER.

IN A HIGH-TENSION DRAMA THAT EXPLODES IN WAVES OF SATIRE AND HORROR, BRECHT PARALLELS THE CAREERS OF THE TWO MEN.

THE BLOODY ST. VALENTINE'S DAY MASSACRE, WHEN CAPONE'S MOBSTERS RUBBED OUT HIS CHICAGO RIVALS, WAS COMPARED TO THE NAZI "NIGHT OF THE LONG KNIVES" WHEN HITLER PURGED STORM TROOP LEADERS CHALLENGING HIS AUTHORITY.

ASIDE FROM THE BERLINER ENSEMBLE, THE SERIOUS EAST BERLIN STAGE IS BEING INCREASINGLY SHACKLED BY OFFICIALS WHO INSIST THE THEATER MUST BE DEDICATED TO "SOCIALIST REALISM"---APPLAUDING THE AIMS AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST REGIME.

RECENTLY THE POPULAR PLAY "DAS SCHWITZBAD" (THE STEAM BATH) WAS CUT OFF ABRUPTLY AFTER ONLY FIVE PERFORMANCES BECAUSE IT SATIRIZED PARTY BUREAUCRATS.

END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF MARCH 31, MOVED MARCH 29

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JERUSALEM, MARCH 30 (AP)-ISRAELI FOREIGN MINISTER GOLDA MEIR SAID IN PARLIAMENT TODAY PRESIDENT NASSER OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC IS AN AMBITIOUS DICTATOR AIMING TO SUBJUGATE OTHER COUNTRIES IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

SHE SAID LATEST DEVELOPMENTS BETWEEN BAGHDAD AND CAIRO "MIGHT INDUCE SOME WESTERN CIRCLES TO WISH AGAIN TO STRENGTHEN THE

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EGYPTIAN DICTATOR AND INCREASE HIS POWER OUT OF FALSE HOPE THAT IN THIS MANNER THERE IS A PROSPECT OF ATTRACTING HIM TO THE WEST.
"WE HAVE NO DOUBT SUCH HOPES ARE UTTERLY WITHOUT FOUNDATION AND IT SEEMS TO ME THERE ARE MORE PEOPLE WHO AGREE WITH US THAN OTHERWISE."

IN SPECIFIC REFERENCE TO U.S.-ISRAELI RELATIONS, SHE SAID:
"SINCE THE END OF THE SINAI OPERATION THERE HAS BEEN A RAPID AND COMPLETE RETURN TO THE PREVIOUSLY EXISTING CORDIAL RELATIONSHIP, AND THE PAST YEAR HAS SEEN FURTHER DEVELOPMENT, EVENTS OF THE YEAR HAVING RESULTED IN A MORE COMPLETE IDENTITY OF VIEWS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES CONCERNING PROBLEMS OF THE AREA."

"AMERICAN OPINION NOW APPROACHES ISRAEL'S OWN EVALUATION OF NASSERISM AND ITS SUBVERSIVE TENDENCIES."

IN A GENERAL REVIEW OF FOREIGN RELATIONS, MRS. MEIR ACCUSED NASSER OF "NEFARIOUS ACTIVITIES AGAINST ISRAEL, THE MOST RECENT DEMONSTRATION OF WHICH WAS THE CONFISCATION OF ISRAELI CARGOES PASSING THROUGH THE SUEZ CANAL."

SHE SAID ISRAEL'S EFFORTS TO INSURE FREEDOM OF PASSAGE FOR CARGO THROUGH THE CANAL HAD MET WITH "A GREAT DEAL OF UNDERSTANDING" AMONG NATIONS OF THE WORLD.

ISRAEL HAS CIRCULATED A PROTEST AT THE UNITED NATIONS AGAINST U.A.R. ACTION IN SEIZING ISRAELI CARGO ON TWO SHIPS BOUND THROUGH THE CANAL FOR THE FAR EAST.

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CAIRO, MARCH 30 (AP)-UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC PRESIDENT NASSER SAID TODAY SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV ONCE PRESSED HIM TO ALLOW COMMUNISTS TO OPERATE FREELY IN THE U.A.R.

NASSER SAID HE REFUSED BECAUSE HE CONSIDERED THIS WOULD BE INTERFERENCE IN U.A.R. INTERNAL AFFAIRS.

THE REMARKS WERE MADE IN THE FIRST SPEECH NASSER HAS DELIVERED SINCE HE RETURNED FROM THE U.A.R.'S SYRIAN REGION LAST WEDNESDAY. HE SPOKE TO A GROUP OF ARMY OFFICERS AT A CAMP NEAR CAIRO.

NASSER REPORTED IT WAS DURING HIS VISIT TO MOSCOW LAST MAY THAT KHRUSHCHEV ASKED HIM TO ALLOW COMMUNIST LEADERS TO OPERATE IN THE U.A.R.

AT THE SAME TIME, SAID NASSER, HE COMPLAINED TO KHRUSHCHEV THAT DIPLOMATIC ENVOYS FROM COMMUNIST COUNTRIES ALWAYS OPPOSED THE SYRIAN-EGYPTIAN MERGER INTO THE U.A.R. KHRUSHCHEV PROMISED TO ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS TO STOP THIS ATTITUDE, NASSER ADDED.

"WE BELIEVED AT THE BEGINNING OF OUR REVOLUTION THAT COMMUNISTS WERE INDEPENDENT BUT THEY PROVED TO BE AGENTS OF MOSCOW," NASSER DECLARED. THEREFORE WE REFUSED TO ALLOW THEM TO OPERATE."

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MOSCOW, MARCH 30 (AP)-PRAVDA TODAY DELIVERED A STERN LECTURE TO GAMAL ABDEL NASSER, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC. IT EXHIBITED SHOCK AT NASSER'S CURRENT ANTI-COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN AND WARNED HIM AGAINST "PREMATURE UNION" OF ARAB NATIONS.

THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER WAS COMMENTING ON THE QUARREL BETWEEN NASSER AND THE REGIME IN IRAQ HEADED BY PREMIER ABDEL KARIM KASSEM. THE LONG ARTICLE WAS SIGNED "OBSERVER," A NAME FREQUENTLY USED FOR IMPORTANT SOVIET POLICY STATEMENTS. IT SAID:

"IT HAS BECOME CLEAR OF LATE THAT SOME LEADERS IN THE MIDDLE EAST UNDERSTAND ARAB NATIONALISM TO MEAN THE APPLICATION OF THE IDEA OF

IMMEDIATE MECHANICAL UNION OF ALL ARAB STATES WITH ONE OF THEM, IRRESPECTIVE OF WHETHER THEY WANT IT OR NOT. EVERYONE WHO DISAGREES IS DECLARED TO BE A ZIONIST, A COMMUNIST, AN ENEMY OF THE ARAB PEOPLE, AND ARAB NATIONALISM IS SET OFF AGAINST EVERY PROGRESSIVE MOVEMENT AMONG THE ARABS."

UNION OF SYRIA AND EGYPT IN THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC A YEAR AGO SENT THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN SYRIA UNDERGROUND AND CAUSED THE FLIGHT OF COMMUNIST LEADERS. THE COMMUNISTS IN IRAQ HAVE BEEN RESISTING THOSE FORCES WHICH STAND FOR SOME SORT OF UNION OR FEDERATION WITH NASSER'S U.A.R.

THE ARTICLE REFERRED TO NASSER AS A FOREMOST ARAB LEADER BUT CHIDED HIM ABOUT THE 1956 MIDDLE EAST CRISIS. IT QUOTED NASSER AS SAYING THE ARABS HAD ONLY THE HELP OF ALLAH (GOD.) ALLAH MAY HAVE HELPED, SAID PRAVDA BUT SO DID THE U.S.S.R.

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A15 AMS BUDGET (560)

NIGHT LEAD SOVIET

BY HAROLD K. MILKS

MOSCOW, MARCH 30 (AP)--THE SOVIET UNION TODAY FORMALLY AGREED TO MEET THE WEST AT A BIG FOUR FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE ON GERMANY AND BERLIN. BUT THE RUSSIANS RESERVED THE RIGHT TO BRING UP THEIR ORIGINAL DEMAND THAT COMMUNIST POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA SIT IN ON THE TALKS, TO BE HELD IN GENEVA.

THE MREMLIN'S REPLY TO THE WEST'S FOREIGN MINISTER PROPOSAL OF MARCH 26 CAME AS NO SURPRISE. GENEVA WAS THE PLACE AND MAY 11 THE TIME SUGGESTED BY THE WEST. SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV HAD ALREADY ACCEPTED THE IDEA OF SUCH A MEETING AT A KREMLIN NEWS CONFERENCE MARCH 19.

AS USUAL, KHRUSHCHEV SAW A FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING ONLY AS A STEP TOWARD A SUMMIT CONFERENCE. THERE WAS GENERAL AGREEMENT HERE THAT A HEADS-OF-GOVERNMENT MEETING WOULD FOLLOW THE MINISTERS CONFERENCE PROBABLY IN GENEVA A MONTH OR SO LATER.

THREE SEPARATE NOTES WERE HANDED TO THE AMERICAN, FRENCH AND BRITISH AMBASSADORS BY SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO AT HALF-HOUR INTERVALS.

(THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON DECLINED IMMEDIATE COMMENT ON THE LATEST MOSCOW NOTE UNTIL IT SEES THE TEXT.)

EACH NOTE CARRIED A SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT EMPHASIS, BUT ALL LOOKED BEYOND THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING TO THE SUMMIT--AN IDEA ACCEPTED WITH VARYING DEGREES OF WARMTH BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER, PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN AND PRESIDENT DE GAULLE.

AS THE THREE WESTERN AMBASSADORS RETURNED FROM GROMYKO'S OFFICE THROUGH A HEAVY SPRING SNOW, MOSCOW RADIO AND THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS BEGAN BROADCASTING THE CONTENTS OF THE NOTES ABROAD.

TASS SAID THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WOULD SEND ITS FOREIGN MINISTER TO THE MEETING OPENING MAY 11 TO DISCUSS GERMANY, INCLUDING A PEACE TREATY AND THE FUTURE STATUS OF BERLIN.

THIS MATCHED THE LANGUAGE OF THE U. S. NOTE OF MARCH 26, WHICH ALSO LEFT THE DOOR OPEN FOR DISCUSSION OF ANY QUESTION THE CONFEREES BELIEVE RELEVANT TO THE SUBJECT.

THE KREMLIN AGREED TO THE WESTERN SUGGESTION THAT BOTH WEST GERMANY AND COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY SEND OBSERVERS TO THE MEETING.

BUT MOSCOW'S NOTES EXPRESSED REGRET, TASS SAID, "THAT COMPLETE MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING HAS NOT YET BEEN REACHED ON THE QUESTION OF THE PARTICIPATION OF POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA..."

IN ITS MARCH 2 NOTE ON THE MEETING, THE SOVIET UNION DEMANDED PARTICIPATION OF THOSE TWO COMMUNIST NATIONS FROM THE START OF THE CONFERENCE.

"THE WEST REPLIED THEY COULD JOIN LATER, AND KHRUSHCHEV DID NOT PRESS THE DEMAND IN HIS MARCH 19 NEWS CONFERENCE. HE SAID THE

QUESTION OF PARITY--EQUAL REPRESENTATION FOR BOTH EAST AND WEST AT THE CONFERENCE TABLE--COULD BE SETTLED LATER BY THE GOVERNMENTS THEMSELVES.

TAKING UP THIS THEME, MOSCOW SAID IT "CONSIDERS IT POSSIBLE THAT THE QUESTION OF THE PARTICIPATION OF POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA SHOULD BE SOLVED DURING THE CONFERENCE."

THE SOVIET NOTES WERE THE LATEST DEVELOPMENT IN THE BERLIN CRISIS THAT BEGAN LAST NOVEMBER WHEN KHRUSHCHEV FIRST WARNED THAT THE SOVIET UNION WOULD TURN OVER ITS OCCUPATION FUNCTIONS IN BERLIN TO COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY, A GOVERNMENT THE WEST REFUSES TO RECOGNIZE. THIS WOULD LEAVE THE EAST GERMANS IN CONTROL OF THE WEST'S ACCESS ROUTES TO BERLIN, ISOLATED 100 MILES INSIDE EAST GERMANY.

KHRUSHCHEV SAID THE TURNOVER WOULD TAKE PLACE MAY 27, BUT HE SAID HE SOULD "LIKE TO DISCUSS THINGS AROUND A ROUND TABLE."

ON JAN. 10 THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT PROPOSED A 28-NATION PEACE CONFERENCE TO WORK OUT A GERMAN PEACE TREATY IN REPLY TO WESTERN SUGGESTIONS FOR A MINISTERS CONFERENCE OF THE BIG FOUR POWERS OCCUPYING GERMANY UNDER WORLD WAR II VICTORY AGREEMENTS. KHRUSHCHEV SAID THESE AGREEMENTS WERE NO LONGER VALID.

ON MARCH 2, THE SOVIET UNION AGAIN PRESSED ITS DEMAND FOR A SUMMIT CONFERENCE--BUT AGREED TO A FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING IF THE WEST WASN'T READY YET. THE WEST REPLIED MARCH 26 BY PROPOSING THE TIME AND PLACE FOR THE MINISTERS MEETING AND LAYING DOWN ITS CONDITIONS FOR GOING ON TO THE SUMMIT. THE LATEST SOVIET NOTE CAME IN REPLY TO THAT.

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AP FOREIGN SERVICE ADVANCE FOR MONDAY PMS MARCH 30--NOTE DATE

KHRUSHCHEV: KEY TO THE KREMLIN--NO.1

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EDITOR'S NOTE--HE IS IN THE NEWS ALMOST EVERY DAY, BUT HE IS ALMOST A MAN NOBODY KNOWS--NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV, THE MAN THE WEST MUST DEAL WITH IN ANY SUMMIT SESSIONS. WHAT MAKES HIM RUN? HOW DID HE GET WHERE HE IS? HOW SMART IS HE? THESE ARE SOME OF THE QUESTIONS WILLIAM L. RYAN, LONG A CLOSE STUDENT OF SOVIET RUSSIA, TAKES UP IN A SERIES OF INFORMATIVE ARTICLES STARTING BELOW.

BY WILLIAM L. RYAN

AP FOREIGN NEWS ANALYST

(ADVANCE)...LONG BEFORE ANYONE DREAMED OF NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV AS A FUTURE CZAR, A WESTERN DIPLOMAT SIZED HIM UP SHREWDLY AS "THAT BRILLIANT BONEHEAD."

THE MAN CAN BLUSTER AND GUFFAW HIS WAY WITH A TERRIFYING AIR OF CARELESSNESS TOWARD THE EDGE OF GLOBAL DISASTER. BUT HE IS NO GENIUS. HIS CAREER HAS BEEN DOTTED WITH BONEHEAD PLAYS.

IN A MEETING AT THE SUMMIT, NONETHELESS, WESTERN STATESMEN WOULD FACE A FORMIDABLE ANTAGONIST, A DYNAMIC BUNDLE OF RECKLESS ENERGY AND DAZZLING PARADOXES, FAR LESS PREDICTABLE, POTENTIALLY FAR MORE DANGEROUS THAN THE MIGHTY STALIN.

ONE OF HIS SUCCESS SECRETS SEEMS TO BE AN ASTONISHING KNACK FOR BLAMING HIS OWN MISTAKES ON OTHERS--AND GETTING AWAY WITH IT. ANOTHER HAS BEEN AN OLYMPIAN SCORN OF WEAKNESS AND WHAT HE WOULD REGARD AS BOURGEOIS MORALITY.

KHRUSHCHEV KNOWS ONLY ONE TRUTH. IN A SENSE HE IS A MISSIONARY. HE HAS REFERRED PIOUSLY TO HIS "COMMUNIST FAITH." IN PROPAGATING THIS FAITH, HE HAS SHOWN HIMSELF A TRUE DISCIPLE OF LENIN.

WORLD COMMUNISM AS DEVELOPED UNDER SOVIET CONTROL HAS ONE BASIC AIM: TO IMPOSE ITS POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY ON THE WHOLE WORLD. TO ACCOMPLISH THIS, ANY SUBTERFUGE, ANY LIE, ANY DECEIT, ANY TACTIC IS JUSTIFIED IN COMMUNIST EYES.

THROUGH A COMBINATION OF THIS FAITH AND HIS POLITICAL AGILITY, KHRUSHCHEV HAS SURVIVED REVOLUTION, CIVIL WAR, BLOOD BATH PURGES AND DARK INTRIGUES. NEARING A DURABLE 65 IN APRIL, HE SOMETIMES SEEMS LIKE AN AMIABLE HIPPO ON A TIGHTROPE.

AS A RUSSIAN AS A BOWL OF BORSCHT, KHRUSHCHEV IS MASTER OF THE SOVIET UNION FOR THE MOMENT. AND, FOR THE MOMENT, HE IS MASTER OF THE WORLD CONSPIRACY WHICH GOES BY THE NAME OF COMMUNISM.

NIKITA SERGEYEVICH KHRUSHCHEV IS BY SOVIET STANDARDS AN "OTCHEN UMNY CHELOVYK"--A VERY SMART FELLOW. HE BOASTS THE PHYSIQUE OF A RUSSIAN BEAR. HE COMBINES SEEMINGLY BOUNDLESS ENERGY WITH A TASTE FOR INTRIGUE AND A TALENT FOR TURNING DEFEAT INTO VICTORY.

THESE ATTRIBUTES, ALONG WITH HIS NATIVE PEASANT SHREWDNESS, A STUBBORNLY DOGMATIC MIND AND A LACK OF SCRUPLES, HAVE MADE KHRUSHCHEV'S LIFE STORY A COMMUNIST-STYLE SAGA OF RAGS TO RICHES.

THE KHRUSHCHEV ERA IN THE U.S.S.R. IS NOW ABOUT FIVE YEARS OLD. IN THAT BRIEF HISTORICAL PERIOD THE 5-FOOT-5, 220-POUND FORMER COAL MINER HAS ZOOMED LIKE A POLITICAL SPUTNIK TO THE TOP OF THE SOVIET HEAP.

PERHAPS HE WENT TOO FAR TOO FAST. HE IS NOT YET THE SOLE INHERITOR OF STALIN'S AWESOME POWER. THOSE WHO STOOD IN THE WAY OF HIS CLIMB HAVE BEEN SILENCED, BUT NOT ELIMINATED. HIS VICTORIES HAVE BEEN DAZZLING, BUT THEIR FOUNDATION IS FLIMSY.

KHRUSHCHEV INHERITED A COMPLEX SOVIET SOCIETY, ITS NEEDS ENORMOUS, ITS DEMANDS FREIGHTENING. NO LONGER WAS RUSSIA THE VAST AGRARIAN SLUM OF ILLITERATES HE HAD KNOWN IN HIS YOUTH. TO ARM RUSSIA INDUSTRIALLY, STALIN HAD TO EDUCATE HER AND THAT TOOK TIME.

UNSCHOOLED UNTIL HE WAS IN HIS MID-TWENTIES, KHRUSHCHEV HARDLY COULD HOPE TO UNDERSTAND THE COMPLEXITIES OF A NEW GENERATION DOUBTING, SEARCHING, QUESTIONING, ARGUING, WONDERING.

KHRUSHCHEV'S HAD BEEN A FAR DIFFERENT WORLD WHEN HE WAS A RAGGED BOY TENDING SHEEP AND LEARNING THE TRADES OF BLACKSMITH AND LOCKSMITH.

HE WAS BORN IN A HOVEL IN KALLINOVKA, IN KURSK PROVINCE, NOT FAR FROM THE UKRAINE, APRIL 17, 1894. HIS FATHER, SERGEI, MAY HAVE OWNED A SMALL PLOT OF LAND AROUND THE MUD AND REED HOVEL AND THUS HAVE BEEN A "KULAK"--A LANDOWNING PEASANT. BUT HIS CHIEF TRADE WAS THAT OF COAL MINER. NIKITA'S GRANDFATHER HAD BEEN A SERF, ONE OF THE AGRICULTURAL SLAVES FREED BY CZAR ALEXANDER IN 1861.

NIKITA AT 17 WAS WORKING AS A LOCKSMITH IN A FACTORY AT KHARKOV IN THE UKRAINE. FROM THERE HE TRAVELED TO THE DONETS BASIN TO WORK, LIKE HIS FATHER, IN THE COAL MINES. HE WAS THERE, A YOUNG MAN OF 23, WHEN THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION BURST OUT.

KHRUSHCHEV TOOK NO ACTIVE PART IN THE REVOLUTION AGAINST THE CZAR. BUT IN 1918, WHEN THE BOLSHEVIKS WERE STRIKING FOR POWER, HE JOINED THE PARTY AND SERVED IN THE FIRST PROLETARIAN REGIMENT IN THE DONETS BASIN DURING THE FIRST PART OF THE BLOODY CIVIL WAR.

SOMEHOW KHRUSHCHEV MANAGED TO BRING HIMSELF TO THE ATTENTION OF HIS SUPERIORS. WHILE THE CIVIL WAR STILL RAGED, HE BECAME HEAD OF THE AGRICULTURAL SECTION OF THE KURSK CITY SOVIET. THEN HE WAS PLACED IN COMMAND OF A BATTALION TO FIGHT WHITE FORCES IN THE UKRAINE. KHRUSHCHEV'S BATTALION WAS WIPED OUT.

BUT KHRUSHCHEV'S TALENT FOR BLAMING HIS MISTAKES ON OTHERS CAME TO THE FORE. HE BECAME POLITICAL COMMISSAR OF A BIG GUERRILLA DETACHMENT.

AFTER THE WAR, KHRUSHCHEV WORKED FOR A WHILE IN AN IRON MINE AND FOR THE FIRST TIME, AT 27, GOT A CHANCE TO GO TO SCHOOL. HE STUDIED AT A RABFAK OR WORKERS' FACULTY FOR THREE YEARS IN KHARKOV, AND WENT FROM THERE TO PARTY JOBS IN STALINO AND KIEV. THEN CAME HIS FIRST BIG BREAK.

KHRUSHCHEV'S PARTY WORK CAME TO THE NOTICE OF LAZAR MOISEVICH KAGANOVICH, THE DREADED "IRON COMMISSAR," THEN FIRST PARTY SECRETARY

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IN THE UKRAINE. KAGANOVICH HAD KHRUSHCHEV SENT TO MOSCOW'S INDUSTRIAL ACADEMY IN 1929 FOR FURTHER STUDIES.

UNDER SUCH IMPORTANT AUSPICES, KHRUSHCHEV BECAME A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY COMMITTEE IN THE ACADEMY. ONCE AGAIN HE CHOSE A WINNING HORSE. HE LED AN ATTACK AGAINST THOSE IN THE ACADEMY WHO SIDED WITH TROTSKY AND OTHER ENEMIES OF STALIN.

HIS STUDIES COMPLETED IN 1931, KHRUSHCHEV BECAME SECRETARY OF A REGIONAL MOSCOW PARTY COMMITTEE, ONCE AGAIN THE PROTEGE OF KAGANOVICH, THEN SECRETARY OF THE MOSCOW COMMITTEE AND MEMBER OF THE RULING CENTRAL COMMITTEE. KHRUSHCHEV WENT TO VARIOUS INDUSTRIAL CENTERS TO ROOT OUT STALIN'S ENEMIES.

KHRUSHCHEV ALSO THREW HIMSELF WITH A WILL INTO KAGANOVICH'S PROGRAM FOR TRANSFORMING MOSCOW, DOING MUCH OF THE WORK OF ORGANIZING LABOR FOR SUCH PROJECTS AS THE CELEBRATED MOSCOW SUBWAY. THAT WON HIM THE ORDER OF LENIN.

A QUARTER CENTURY LATER KHRUSHCHEV WOULD REPAY HIS BENEFactor BY BOUNCING HIM OUT OF THE POST-STALIN HIERARCHY, LABELED AN ENEMY OF THE PARTY.

BUT IN 1934 KHRUSHCHEV WAS JUST A KAGANOVICH MAN, AND HIS BOSS GOT HIM FINALLY ON THE POWERFUL CENTRAL COMMITTEE. HE NOW HAD A FIRM GRASP ON THE FIRST RUNG OF HIS LADDER TO POWER.

FOR NIKITA SERGEYEVICH KHRUSHCHEV, LIFE BEGAN AT 40.

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TOMORROW: ALL OUT FOR STALIN
END ADVANCE FOR MONDAY PMS--MOVED MARCH 27

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MOSCOW, MARCH 30 (AP)--THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS OF BYELORUSSIA WAS GIVEN A BLISTERING BY THE COMMUNIST PARTY LEADER IN THE SOVIET REPUBLIC TODAY FOR LACK-LUSTRE ADMINISTRATION.

T.Y. KISELEV, THE PARTY SECRETARY IN BYELORUSSIA, DECLARED THE MINISTERS WERE FAILING TO WEED OUT USELESS PERSONNEL. HE ATTACKED IN PARTICULAR THE WORK OF THE TRADE AND AGRICULTURAL MINISTERS.

BYELORUSSIA'S MINISTERIAL COUNCIL MAY BE FACING A SHAKEUP. THE REGION'S AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY AND TOOLS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED IN SOVIET PREMIER'S KHRUSHCHEV'S NEW SEVEN YEAR PLAN.

THE MINISTERIAL COUNCILS OF THE UZBEKISTAN AND TURKMEN REPUBLICS ALREADY HAVE BEEN SHAKEN UP SINCE THE 21ST SOVIET COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY AS A RESULT OF CHARGES OF LAX ADMINISTRATION.

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NIGHT LEAD JAPAN-BASES (580)
BY EUGENE KRAMER

TOKYO, MARCH 30 (AP)--STATIONING OF AMERICAN TROOPS IN JAPAN WAS RULED UNCONSTITUTIONAL TODAY BY A JAPANESE COURT. PRO-WESTERN PRIME MINISTER NOBUSUKE KISHI SAID THE RULING WOULD NOT CHANGE HIS GOVERNMENT'S POLICIES UNLESS IT EVENTUALLY IS UPHeld BY JAPAN'S SUPREME COURT.

BUT IT WAS CERTAIN TO TOUCH OFF A POLITICAL UPROAR WHILE AN EXPECTED APPEAL DRAGS THROUGH JAPANESE COURTS TO A SUPREME COURT DECISION THAT MAY TAKE YEARS.

IF FINALLY UPHeld, THE DECISION COULD INCREASE PRESSURE FOR THE UNITED STATES TO PULL OUT OF ITS STRATEGIC FAR EASTERN BASES IN THIS ISLAND NATION.

IT COULD FORCE THE GOVERNMENT TO REVIEW ALL INTERNATIONAL COMMIT-

MENTS MADE BY JAPAN SINCE IT REGAINED INDEPENDENCE BY PEACE TREATY IN 1952. THE DECISION ALSO COULD CAST DOUBT ON THE LEGALITY OF JAPAN'S SMALL BUT GROWING MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT.

THE TOKYO DISTRICT COURT TOUCHED OFF A FUROR BY ITS SURPRISE DECISION FREEING SEVEN JAPANESE ACCUSED OF BREAKING INTO THE U.S. TACHIKAWA AIR BASE OUTSIDE TOKYO TO PROTEST ITS EXPANSION.

THE THREE-MAN COURT THREW OUT THE 1957 INDICTMENT AGAINST THE MEN ON THE GROUND THAT THE BASE VIOLATED THE NO-WAR CLAUSE IN JAPAN'S CONSTITUTION. THIS CLAUSE WAS SPONSORED BY THE UNITED STATES DURING THE POSTWAR OCCUPATION OF JAPAN.

THE RULING HEARTENED OPPOSITION SOCIALIST CRITICISM OF AMERICA'S MILITARY ARRANGEMENTS WITH JAPAN.

BUT KISHI TOLD A COMMITTEE OF PARLIAMENT:

"IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO CHANGE THE GOVERNMENT'S INTERPRETATION OF THE CONSTITUTION BY THE FIRST RULING MADE MONDAY...OF COURSE THE GOVERNMENT WILL RESPECT A SUPREME COURT DECISION, BUT IT IS NOT BOUND BY ANY DECISION BY LOWER COURTS ON THE WAY TO A SUPREME COURT RULING."

KISHI IMPLIED THE JUSTICE MINISTRY WILL BE TOLD TO CONTEST THE RULING. BOTH SIDES CAN APPEAL A COURT RULING UNDER JAPANESE LAW.

"THE DECISION IS ONE QUITE OPPOSITE TO THE GOVERNMENT'S INTERPRETATION OF THE CONSTITUTION," HE SAID.

UNDER QUESTIONING BY JUBILANT OPPOSITION MEMBERS OF THE UPPER HOUSE BUDGET COMMITTEE, KISHI SAID ABOUT 70 LOWER COURT OPINIONS HAD UPHELD THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF JAPAN'S MILITARY AGREEMENTS WITH AMERICA. HE EMPHASIZED THE SUPREME COURT HAS NEVER RULED ON THE QUESTION.

KISHI SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD CONTINUE NEGOTIATIONS TO REVISE THE U.S.-JAPAN MILITARY TREATY DRAFTED IN 1951 WHEN JAPAN WAS STILL UNDER POSTWAR OCCUPATION. JAPAN IS BIDDING FOR MORE SAY IN THE USE OF U.S. TROOPS HERE. THE SOCIALISTS WANT THE PACT SCRAPPED ALTOGETHER.

THE SOCIALIST PARTY ISSUED A STATEMENT SUPPORTING THE LOWER COURT OPINION AND DEMANDING THAT THE KISHI CABINET RESIGN FOR "VIOLATING THE SPIRIT OF THE CONSTITUTION."

THE LEFTIST SOHYO GENERAL COUNCIL OF TRADE UNIONS ANNOUNCED A NEW CAMPAIGN TO "ANNIHILATE THE KISHI CABINET'S WAR POLICY."

THE LOWER COURT OPINION HELD THAT THE PRESENCE OF U.S. TROOPS AND BASES IN JAPAN VIOLATES ARTICLE 9 OF THE JAPANESE CONSTITUTION.

THAT ARTICLE SAYS THE JAPANESE PEOPLE RENOUNCE WAR, FORCE AND THE THREAT OF FORCE AS A MEANS OF SETTling DISPUTES AND "FOR THIS PURPOSE, LAND, SEA AND AIR FORCES, AS WELL AS OTHER WAR POTENTIAL, WILL NEVER BE MAINTAINED."

JAPAN, HOWEVER, MAINTAINS A SO-CALLED SELF-DEFENSE FORCE. THIS FLEDGLING ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE IS PERMITTED BECAUSE A RULING BY FORMER U.S. COMMANDER GEN. DOUGLAS MCARTHUR HELD THAT THE NO-WAR CLAUSE ALLOWED JAPAN TO HAVE MILITARY FORCES FOR DEFENSE. JAPANESE GOVERNMENTS HAVE STUCK TO THIS INTERPRETATION.

THE RULING ALSO NOTED THAT U.S. FORCES STATIONED HERE CAN BE DEPLOYED OUTSIDE JAPAN, THUS RAISING THE POSSIBILITY THAT JAPAN MIGHT BECOME INVOLVED IN CONFLICTS IT WANTS TO STAY OUT OF.

CRITICISM ALONG THIS LINE WAS HEARD LAST SUMMER DURING LARGE-SCALE AMERICAN TROOP MOVEMENTS IN THE FAR EAST TO MEET THE CHINESE COMMUNIST THREAT TO QUEMOY.

THE COURT ALSO HELD THAT THE SPECIAL CRIMINAL CODE COVERING U.S. BASES IS UNCONSTITUTIONAL BECAUSE IT LAYS DOWN PENALTIES MORE SEVERE THAN ORDINARY CRIMINAL LAW. THE SEVEN WERE TRIED UNDER THE SPECIAL CODE.

ALTHOUGH THE U.S. EMBASSY HERE AND THE GOVERNMENT IN WASHINGTON DECLINED OFFICIAL COMMENT, AMERICAN AUTHORITIES HAVE EXPRESSED EXTREME INTEREST IN THE CASE.

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HONOLULU, MARCH 30 (AP)-ADM. HARRY D. FELT, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF U. S. FORCES IN THE PACIFIC, LEFT BY PLANE MONDAY FOR WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND.

FELT WILL ATTEND A CONFERENCE THERE OF MILITARY ADVISERS TO THE SOUTHEAST ASIA TREATY ORGANIZATION, (SEATO) FOLLOWED BY THE ANNUAL SEATO COUNCIL MINISTERS MEETING.

ENROUTE BACK TO HAWAII, FELT WILL ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING OF AMERICAN AMBASSADORS OF THE FAR EAST STARTING APRIL 12 AT BAGUIO IN THE PHILIPPINES.

FELT IS ACCOMPANIED BY KEY MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF. HE IS DUE BACK AT HIS PACIFIC HEADQUARTERS HERE APRIL 18.

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NIGHT LEAD NATO

BY JOHN SCALI

WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-TOP OFFICIALS CAUTIOUSLY WELCOMED TODAY RUSSIA'S ACCEPTANCE OF WESTERN PROPOSALS THAT A BIG FOUR FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE STARTING MAY 11 SERVE AS A POSSIBLE PRELUDE TO A LATER SUMMIT MEETING.

A SOVIET NOTE DELIVERED IN MOSCOW TODAY WAS VIEWED AS VIRTUALLY ASSURING A FOREIGN MINISTERS SESSION IN GENEVA BEGINNING ON THAT DATE AS AN INITIAL STEP IN EASING THE DANGEROUS EAST-WEST DEADLOCK ON GERMANY'S FUTURE.

MOST AUTHORITIES APPEARED GLOOMY ABOUT THE PROSPECT THAT FOREIGN MINISTERS COULD REACH ANY CONCRETE AGREEMENTS. THEY FORECAST A MEETING LASTING TWO TO THREE WEEKS.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALLY DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THE BRIEF RUSSIAN REPLY. THE MILD WORDING OF THE RUSSIAN NOTE, HOWEVER, CONVINCED OFFICIALS THE KREMLIN WANTED TO HURRY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING ALONG SO THAT PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV COULD DO THE HARD NEGOTIATING LATER AT A SUMMER SUMMIT SESSION.

THIS WAS BELIEVED TO BE THE REASON RUSSIA ABANDONED ITS DEMAND THAT POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA ATTEND THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING AS EQUAL PARTICIPANTS. A SOVIET PROPOSAL THAT THEIR ROLE BE DISCUSSED BY THE BIG FOUR FOREIGN MINISTERS WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE SOLVED THIS POINT.

THE NEW SOVIET NOTE CAME AS ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN HERTER PREPARED TO MEET TOMORROW WITH BRITISH, FRENCH AND WEST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTERS TO DISCUSS PROPOSALS THE WEST WOULD MAKE AT THE GENEVA MEETING.

THE BERLIN CRISIS SEEMED CERTAIN TO DOMINATE THE TWO-DAY MEETING AS WELL AS THE THREE-DAY MEETING OPENING THURSDAY OF THE 15-NATION ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL.

THE MAIN AIM OF THE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS SESSION IS TO GIVE FINAL APPROVAL TO NEGOTIATING PROPOSALS DRAFTED IN PARIS BY LOWER RANKING EXPERTS.

THESE PROPOSALS WERE REPORTED TO REFLECT UNITY IN MOVES THE U. S., BRITISH AND FRENCH GOVERNMENTS WOULD TAKE IN THE EVENT RUSSIA TURNED OVER AIR, LAND AND WATER ROUTES TO WEST BERLIN TO THE EAST GERMAN REDS.

THE THREE ALLIES WERE REPORTED NOT YET AGREED, HOWEVER, ON WHAT CONCESSIONS, IF ANY, SHOULD BE OFFERED RUSSIA TO END THE BERLIN CRISIS. BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD WAS UNDERSTOOD TO BE READY TO CONTINUE ADVOCATING BRITAIN'S VIEW THAT SOME NEW INTERNATIONAL STATUS SHOULD BE NEGOTIATED WITH THE SOVIETS TO MAINTAIN THE ALLIED FOOTHOLD IN WEST BERLIN.

HERTER, AS WELL AS FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE AND WEST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER HEINRICH VON BRENTANO, WERE REPORTED MORE INCLINED TO INSIST RUSSIA LIVE UP TO EXISTING AGREEMENTS RATHER THAN OFFER ANY NEW PROPOSALS WHICH MIGHT WEAKEN THEIR LEGAL CASE

FOR STAYING.

THE REMAINING ALLIED DIFFERENCES WERE TO BE HANDED BACK TO WORKING DIPLOMATIC EXPERTS FOR ADDITIONAL TALKS WEDNESDAY. THESE LOWER RANKING DIPLOMATS WERE TO HAMMER OUT AN AGREED POSITION IN TIME FOR ANOTHER BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING IN PARIS APRIL 27.

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WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT CONFIRMED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS AGREED TO DELIVER MEDIUM RANGE MISSILES TO ITALY TO BOLSTER ATLANTIC PACT DEFENSES. THE AGREEMENT, AUTHORITATIVELY REPORTED LAST NIGHT, TENDS TO HEIGHTEN THE IMPORTANCE OF THE NATO STRATEGY CONFERENCE OPENING HERE THURSDAY. FOREIGN MEMBERS OF THE 15 MEMBER NATIONS ALREADY WERE GATHERING IN WASHINGTON FOR PRELIMINARY TALKS.

FROM BASES IN NORTHERN ITALY MISSILES OF 1,500 MILE RANGE COULD REACH SOUTHERN RUSSIA.

NUCLEAR WARHEADS FOR THE MISSILES WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE. BUT THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THEY "WILL REMAIN IN U.S. CUSTODY AND CONTROL."

THE DEPARTMENT DECLINED TO DISCLOSE THE TYPE OF MISSILES INVOLVED OR THE SITES FROM WHICH THEY WILL BE OPERATED. INFORMED DIPLOMATIC AUTHORITIES SAID HOWEVER, THEY WILL INCLUDE THE ARMY'S JUPITER MISSILE AND WILL BE STATIONED NEAR VENICE IN NORTHERN ITALY.

THE AGREEMENT, SIGNED LATE LAST WEEK IN ROME, MAKES ITALY ^{the} FIRST ALLIED COUNTRY ON THE CONTINENT OF EUROPE TO ACCEPT AMERICAN MISSILES. IT MEANS THAT PART OF THE PROGRAM SET UP AT THE LAST MEETING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION HAD BEEN ACHIEVED. THE FOREIGN MINISTERS AGREED IN DECEMBER 1957 TO BUILD IRBM BASES IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA.

THIS YEAR'S CONFERENCE, WHICH MARKS THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF NATO, WILL BE PRECEDED BY VITAL TALKS AMONG THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, ENGLAND, FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY.

THEY HOPE TO LAY OUT THE MASTER BLUEPRINT FOR NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE SOVIET UNION AT A FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE IN MAY AND A PROBABLE SUMMIT CONFERENCE IN THE SUMMER.

TALKS WILL BEGIN TOMORROW WITH THE ARRIVAL OF BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD. HE WILL CONFER FIRST WITH ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN HERTER AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER COUVE DE MURVILLE, WHO FLEW IN YESTERDAY. FOREIGN MINISTER HEINRICH VON BRENTANO OF WEST GERMANY, WHO ARRIVED SATURDAY, WILL JOIN THE CONFERENCE EITHER LATE TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY.

A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE SOVIET UNION YESTERDAY HELPED SET THE STAGE FOR THE WEEK OF MEETINGS. ALTHOUGH U. S. OFFICIALS SAW NOTHING NEW IN THE STATEMENT, IT CONSPICUOUSLY OMITTED THE USUAL LOUD AND BITTER ATTACKS ON NATO.

THE STATEMENT, DISTRIBUTED BY TASS, THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY: 1. ASKED NATO TO SIGN A NONAGGRESSION PACT WITH THE SOVIET-LED WAR-SAW TREATY ORGANIZATION.

2. CALLED ON THE WEST TO ACCEPT THE POLISH RAPACKI PLAN FOR WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN FORCES FROM A CENTRAL EUROPEAN ZONE AND A BAN ON NUCLEAR WEAPONS IN THAT ZONE.

3. AGAIN PROPOSED THAT BERLIN BECOME A "FREE" CITY, AND

4. REPEATED THAT THE SOVIET UNION WOULD AGREE TO A FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE IF THE WEST WANTS ONE BEFORE A SUMMIT CONFERENCE.

DECLINING FULL COMMENT UNTIL THE U. S. GOVERNMENT RECEIVES THE TEXT, FRANCIS W. TULLY JR., STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER, TOLD NEWSMEN:

"THERE IS NOTHING NEW IN IT. THEY HAVE SAID THESE THINGS MANY TIMES BEFORE."

IN APPROVING IRBM LAUNCHING SITES, ITALY BECOMES THE SECOND WEST EUROPEAN NATION TO ACCEPT THE MOST POWERFUL OPERATIVE WEAPON IN THE NATO ARSENAL. BRITAIN EARLIER COMPLETED SIMILAR ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE UNITED STATES.

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UNDER THE ITALIAN AGREEMENT, DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS SAID, ANY DECISION TO USE THE IRBMS WOULD REQUIRE JOINT APPROVAL BY THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE ATLANTIC PACT SUPREME HEADQUARTERS. THE BRITISH AGREEMENT REQUIRES JOINT APPROVAL BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN.

SOURCES SAID THE JUPITERS, MANNED BY ITALIAN TECHNICIANS, MAY BE STATIONED IN THE VENICE AREA AND, PERHAPS, ON THE ISLAND OF SARDINIA.

IN THE PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE TALKS, HERTER IS EXPECTED TO URGE LLOYD, COUVE DE MURVILLE AND BRENTANO TO MAKE GERMAN UNIFICATION THEIR TOP GOAL IN FUTURE DISCUSSIONS WITH THE SOVIET UNION.

U. S. OFFICIALS SAID THEY PLAN TO PUSH FOR REUNIFICATION EVEN THOUGH SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV, ACCORDING TO RECENT COMMUNIST NEWS-PAPER ACCOUNTS, HAS REJECTED THAT APPROACH. LAST WEEK SOVIET NEWSPAPERS QUOTED KHRUSHCHEV AS DECLARING, IN A SPEECH AT LEIPZIG MARCH 7, THAT GERMAN UNIFICATION "WOULD BE UNREALISTIC TODAY."

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WILL ADDRESS THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE THREE-DAY NATO CONFERENCE THURSDAY.

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ROME, MARCH 30 (AP)-ITALY'S COMMUNIST PARTY ANNOUNCED TODAY IT WOULD WAGE A DETERMINED FIGHT AGAINST THE INSTALLATION OF U.S. INTER-MEDIATE RANGE MISSILE BASES IN ITALY.

IN A FRONT PAGE STORY, THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER "L'UNITA" SAID RED DEPUTIES WOULD RAISE THE "GRAVE QUESTION OF ITALIAN WAR PREPARATIONS" WHEN PARLIAMENT REOPENS.

POLITICAL SOURCES SAID THAT ALONG WITH PARLIAMENTARY BATTLES, THE COMMUNISTS COULD BE EXPECTED TO STAGE RALLIES IN ITALIAN CITIES.

ITALIAN OFFICIALS CONFIRMED THE NEWS FROM WASHINGTON THAT ITALY AND THE UNITED STATES HAD CONCLUDED AN AGREEMENT TO STATION JUPITER MISSILES HERE. THEY ALSO SAID THE TWO NATIONS HAVE WORKED OUT AN ACCORD BLUEPRINTING MISSILE INSTALLATIONS AND THAT MISSILE DELIVERY IS ABOUT TO BEGIN.

SOME ROMAN SOURCES THOUGHT ITALY'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE MISSILES MIGHT MEAN MORE ITALIAN INSISTENCE ON GREATER RECOGNITION WITHIN NATO.

ITALIAN POLITICIANS HAVE REPEATEDLY INSISTED THAT THE WESTERN BIG THREE--THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE, WHICH OCCASIONALLY BECOMES THE BIG FOUR WITH THE INCLUSION OF WEST GERMANY--SHOULD BE BROADENED TO GIVE ITALY FULL PARTNERSHIP.

LAST SEPTEMBER PREMIER ANTONIO SEGNI, THEN DEFENSE MINISTER, ANNOUNCED IN PARLIAMENT THAT ITALY HAD AGREED TO ESTABLISH MISSILE BASES ON ITALIAN SOIL TO "GUARANTEE THE DEFENSE OF THE NATION."

WHEN HE BECAME PREMIER IN THE FACE OF COMMUNIST OPPOSITION, HE RE-AFFIRMED ACCEPTANCE OF AMERICAN MISSILES.

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ADVANCE FOR PMS MONDAY MARCH 30

NATO (800)

BY LEVIS GULICK

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-A UNIQUE VENTURE IN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION MARKS ITS 10TH ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK. IT MAY CHALK UP MANY MORE BIRTHDAYS BEFORE THE WORLD CHANGES ENOUGH TO WIPE OUT ITS REASON FOR BEING.

THE LUSTY YOUNGSTER IS THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE. AND THE 15 MEMBERS OF ITS NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION ARE RETURNING TO

ITS BIRTHPLACE, WASHINGTON, FOR A TOP LEVEL THREE-DAY MEETING APPROPRIATE TO THE OCCASION.

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WILL ADDRESS THE OPENING SESSION THURSDAY MORNING.

AS USUAL, NATO'S RULING BODY, ITS COUNCIL COMPOSED OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM EACH COUNTRY, WILL HAVE PLENTY OF INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS TO TALK ABOUT. THE DELEGATIONS WILL BE HEADED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS THIS WEEK.

A MEASURE OF NATO'S IMPORTANCE IS THAT IT WILL DEAL WITH THE TOP CRISIS OF THE MOMENT, THE GERMAN QUESTION. ITS SHORTCOMINGS WILL BE UNDERLINED BY THE FACT THAT THE BASIC DECISIONS WILL STILL BE MADE AMONG THE BIG POWERS, MAKING NATO A DIPLOMATIC CLEARINGHOUSE RATHER THAN POLICYMAKER.

AS IT NOW STANDS, NATO HOLDS OUT A SHIELD OF POLITICAL AND MILITARY UNITY SAFEGUARDING FREE EUROPE, CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES FROM SOVIET AGGRESSION.

NATO'S ENTHUSIASTS CREDIT IT WITH THUMPING SUCCESS, WELL WORTH THE 25 BILLION DOLLARS IN U. S. AID TO EUROPE'S DEFENSE DURING THE DECADE PLUS 88 BILLIONS PUT IN BY THE EUROPEANS THEMSELVES.

IT WAS AMID SHOCK OVER SPEEDY COMMUNIST EXPANSION AFTER WORLD WAR II THAT THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY WAS SIGNED IN WASHINGTON ON APRIL 4, 1949. THE MULTI-BILLION-DOLLAR MARSHALL PLAN HAD BEEN FORMED TO PUMP LIFE INTO EUROPE'S RAVAGED ECONOMY. IT ALONE SEEMED NOT ENOUGH TO STEM THE RED TIDE.

THE SHORT WASHINGTON TREATY SPOKE OF PROMOTING UNDERSTANDING OF DEMOCRACY AND OF WIPING OUT ECONOMIC CONFLICT. BUT ATTENTION HAS FOCUSED THEN AND SINCE ON THE MEMBERS' PROMISE THAT AN ARMED ATTACK AGAINST ONE SHALL BE CONSIDERED AN ATTACK AGAINST ALL, AND ON THEIR PLEDGE OF CONTINUOUS, EFFECTIVE MUTUAL EFFORTS TO BUILD UP CAPACITY TO RESIST ATTACK.

THERE WERE OUTCRIES AGAINST THE TREATY, NOT JUST FROM THE KREMLIN. SOME AMERICANS SAW A BLEEDING OF THE TAXPAYERS AND A DEFIANCE OF GEORGE WASHINGTON'S WARNING AGAINST ENTANGLING ALLIANCE. SOME WAR-WEARY EUROPEANS VOICED FEAR OF BECOMING A FRONT LINE DEFENSE FOR THE UNITED STATES.

WHERE PLEAS BASED ON THE COMMON BELIEFS OF FREE PEOPLES ON GROWING INTERNATIONAL DEPENDENCE AND ON EFFICIENCY MAY NOT HAVE BEEN ENOUGH, THE DARK SHADOW OF MOSCOW SUPPLIED THE PUSH NEEDED FOR ACCEPTANCE IN THE WESTERN CAPITALS. THE U. S. SENATE, WHICH HAD ALREADY BACKED THE IDEA BY ITS JUNE 1948 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZED BY THE LATE SEN. ARTHUR VANDENBERG (R-MICH), VOTED FOR THE ATLANTIC PACT 82-13 ON JULY 21, 1949.

THE ORIGINAL SIGNERS OF THE TREATY WERE THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA, BELGIUM, DENMARK, FRANCE, ICELAND, ITALY, LUXEMBOURG, THE NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, PORTUGAL AND BRITAIN. GREECE AND TURKEY JOINED AS ANCHORS TO THE MEDITERRANEAN FLANK IN FEBRUARY 1952. WEST GERMANY, THE FORMER ENEMY NOW DEEMED VITAL TO EUROPE'S DEFENSE, JOINED IN 1955.

NATO STARTED AS A MERE SHELL OF AN ORGANIZATION, A STIFF UPPER LIP THAT SHOWED DETERMINATION TO THE RUSSIANS, MORE THAN REAL POWER. IT SOON BECAME A BAD FOUR-LETTER WORD TO THE KREMLIN.

WHEN NATO IN DECEMBER, 1950 PICKED THE THEN GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER AS ITS FIRST SUPREME COMMANDER IN EUROPE HIS FORCES NUMBERED FEWER THAN 20 DIVISIONS, 1,000 PLANES AND 20 AIRFIELDS. TODAY AN ATOMIC-EQUIPPED NATO BOASTS 100 ACTIVE AND RESERVE DIVISIONS, 5,000 PLANES, 150 AIRFIELDS.

PERHAPS EVEN MORE IMPORTANT MILITARILY IS THE ADVANCE PLANNING FOR COMBINED NATO ACTION IN WARTIME, PEACETIME TRAINING UNDER A SINGLE COMMAND, WEAPONS STANDARDIZATION, AN INTRICATE NETWORK OF COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPLY LINES COMBINING FOR A POWER GREATER THAN THE TOTALS OF SEPARATE NATIONAL FORCES ALONE.

A MILITARY COMMITTEE, QUARTERBACKED BY REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH CHIEFS OF STAFF MEETING CONTINUOUSLY IN WASHINGTON.

PRESIDES OVER A CHAIN OF COMMANDS. THE EUROPEAN COMMAND IS HEADQUARTERED JUST OUTSIDE OF PARIS. AN ATLANTIC COMMAND OPERATES OUT OF NORFOLK, VIRGINIA.

THE WESTERN ALLIES SHOWED THEY MEANT BUSINESS BY ASSIGNING THEIR TOP MEN. EISENHOWER WAS SUCCEEDED BY AMERICAN GENS. MATTHEW B. RIDGWAY, ALFRED M. GRUENTHER, AND NOW LAURIS NORSTAD. THE NO. 2 SPOT IN THE EUROPEAN COMMAND WAS FILLED UNTIL LAST SEPTEMBER BY BRITAIN'S FIELD MARSHAL VISCOUNT MONTGOMERY.

THE HIGHEST PERMANENT CIVILIAN POST, SECRETARY GENERAL, IS FILLED BY PAUL-HENRI SPAAK -- THREE TIMES PRIME MINISTER OF BELGIUM. SPAAK'S SIGNATURE FOR HIS COUNTRY, OINCIDENTALLY, WAS THE FIRST ON THE TREATY 10 YEARS AGO.

THE COUNCIL MEETS PERHAPS 100 TIMES A YEAR. ITS PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES HAVE THE RANK OF AMBASSADOR FROM THE MEMBER COUNTRIES. TWO OR THREE TIMES A YEAR THE FOREIGN MINISTERS TAKE OVER THE SEATS. IN DECEMBER 1957 THE COUNCIL MEETING WAS A SUMMIT CONFERENCE IN PARIS OF THE HEADS OF THE NATO GOVERNMENTS.

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER SEES NATO TODAY AS SUCCEEDING BEYOND THE HOPES OF A DECADE AGO. NATO'S BACKERS CLAIM AS TOP ACHIEVEMENTS A STOPPING OF SOVIET EXPANSION IN EUROPE, WHILE LIFE WITHIN NATO NATIONS HAS IMPROVED.

NATO HAS FAULTS TOO. MONTGOMERY LAST FALL CRITICIZED THE SETUP AS CUMBERSOME SAID THE ORGANIZATION IS OVERLOADED BY BUREAUCY AND ITS STRATEGY MUDDLED.

SPAAK HAS POINTED UP THE FUNDAMENTAL DIFFICULTY OF GETTING SOVEREIGN NATIONS TO ACT TOGETHER. DECISIONS OF THE 15-MEMBER COUNCIL, FOR INSTANCE, MUST BE UNANIMOUS.

YET NATO SUPPORTERS HOPEFULLY SEE WIDER AREAS OF COOPERATION AHEAD. THE COUNCIL IN 1956 APPROVED A THREE-MINISTER REPORT CALLING FOR POLICY DISCUSSIONS BEFORE NATIONAL POSITIONS HAD BECOME FIXED, FOR WITHIN-NATO SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES BETWEEN MEMBERS, FOR WIDER ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND SHARING OF CULTURE AND OF SCIENTIFIC KNOW-HOW. SOME HEADWAY HAS BEEN MADE TOWARD THESE GOALS.

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WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-THE U. S. NAVY, COOPERATING WITH EIGHT NORTH ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES, WILL ESTABLISH AN ANTI-SUBMARINE RESEARCH CENTER AT LA SPEZIA, ITALY IN MAY.

THE CENTER, TO BE STAFFED BY MILITARY AND CIVILIAN SCIENTISTS OF THE PRINCIPAL SEAGOING NATIONS OF NATO, WILL BE SUPERVISED BY SUPREME ALLIED COMMAND ATLANTIC, HEADQUARTERED AT NORFOLK, VA.

THE RAYTHEON CORP. HAS BEEN GIVEN A CONTRACT, OF UNSPECIFIED DOLLAR VALUE, TO MANAGE SOME OF THE RESEARCH WORK.

THE U. S. NAVY WILL CONTRIBUTE A TEAM OF SEVEN OFFICERS AND SIX ENLISTED MEN. SIMILAR CONTRIBUTIONS OF PERSONNEL ARE SCHEDULED FROM BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, WEST GERMANY, THE NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, DENMARK AND CANADA.

DEFENSE OFFICIALS SAID PRELIMINARY WORK IS ALREADY UNDER WAY ON CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITIES.

ONE FACTOR HOLDING BACK AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE PROJECT WAS THE REPORTED SHYNESS OF THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT TO TAKE A FORMAL, OPEN PART IN SETTING UP ADDITIONAL ALLIED MILITARY ACTIVITIES IN THAT COUNTRY. OFFICIALS SAID THAT BECAUSE OF REACTIONS FROM COMMUNIST AND LEFT-WING FACTIONS IN ITALY, ITALIAN GOVERNMENTS HAVE AGREED PRIVATELY TO ADDITIONAL ALLIED COOPERATION BUT HAVE BEEN LOATH TO TAKE PART IN ANNOUNCING SUCH FACTS.

THE UNITED STATES IS KNOWN TO HAVE MADE AVAILABLE ABOUT 2 1/2 MILLION DOLLARS OVER THE NEXT TWO YEARS TO GET THE CENTER STARTED.
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NIGHT LEAD DEFENSE (ROUNDUP)

BY FRED S. HOFFMAN

WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)—RUSSIA WOULD BE FLATTENED BY AMERICA'S NUCLEAR WALLOP IF THE SOVIETS ATTACKED THE FREE WORLD NOW, U. S. MILITARY LEADERS SAID TODAY.

AND THEY SAID AMERICAN MIGHT--BUILT AROUND LONG RANGE BOMBERS, MISSILES AND MISSILE-LAUNCHING SUBMARINES--IS GROWING AT A PACE TO DETER ANY SUCH SOVIET MILITARY ADVENTURE IN THE FUTURE.

THIS ASSESSMENT WAS GIVEN BY MEMBERS OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF IN SECRET TESTIMONY MADE PUBLIC BY THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE AFTER SECURITY CENSORING. THEIR VIEWS, GIVEN IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY, WERE SUPPORTED BY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE NEIL MCELROY TODAY IN A SPEECH TO THE ECONOMIC CLUB IN DETROIT.

MCELROY SAID AMERICAN NUCLEAR STRIKING POWER IS "SUFFICIENT TO DESTROY THE SOVIET UNION IF IT SHOULD ATTACK US."

AS FOR THE YEARS TO COME, MCELROY SAID, "WE BELIEVE THAT OUR PLANNED MILITARY PROGRAMS WILL KEEP US, AS WE ARE NOW, AHEAD OF THE SOVIET UNION IN OVER-ALL STRENGTH AT ANY PROJECTED POINT IN THE FUTURE."

COUNTING ALLIED FORCES, THE DEFENSE SECRETARY SAID THE FREE WORLD ALSO WILL CONTINUE TO HAVE THE MEANS TO COPE WITH BRUSHFIRE, OR LIMITED TYPE, WARS IN WHICH RUSSIA MIGHT NOT BECOME DIRECTLY INVOLVED.

GEN. NATHAN F. TWINING, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS, TOLD THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS GROUP HE SEES SLIGHT CHANCE RUSSIA WILL START GENERAL WAR WITHIN FIVE YEARS--UNLESS "THEY DO SOMETHING WRONG OVER THERE AND GET HOTHEADED."

TWINING ACKNOWLEDGED THE RUSSIANS ARE STRIVING FOR CLEAR MILITARY SUPERIORITY OVER THE UNITED STATES. BUT HE SAID HE BELIEVED THE SOVIETS WOULD LAUNCH ALL-OUT WAR ONLY AS A LAST RESORT. "THE REASON BEING THAT OUR DETERRENT POWER, IF WE CONTINUE TO PROGRESS, WILL BE SO GREAT THAT THE SOVIETS WOULD NOT HAZARD THE ATTACK."

ADM. ARLEIGH BURKE, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, MADE THE STATEMENT THAT "WE WOULD BREAK HER BACK" IF RUSSIA WENT TO WAR AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

"WE CAN DESTROY HER MANY TIMES OVER WITH THE WEAPONS WE NOW HAVE IN EXISTENCE," BURKE SAID. "THERE IS NO WAY THAT SHE CAN STOP THAT."

SAYING HE THINKS THE UNITED STATES HAS "TOO MUCH RETALIATORY POWER," THE NATION'S TOP NAVAL OFFICER ADVOCATED MORE SPENDING ON PREPARATION TO DEAL WITH LIMITED WARS.

GEN. MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, SOON TO RETIRE AS ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, AGREED WITH BURKE THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS OVERWHELMING POWER TO DELIVER ATOMIC RETALIATION AGAINST AN AGGRESSOR.

BUT HIS TESTIMONY SHOWED THAT WHILE THE TOP U. S. MILITARY COMMAND SEES EYE-TO-EYE ON BROAD STRATEGIC PLANS, IT IS IN SOMETHING LESS THAN AGREEMENT ON THE STRENGTH OF FORCES NEEDED TO CARRY OUT THOSE PLANS.

TAYLOR TESTIFIED THE CHIEFS HAVE NEVER REACHED COMPLETE AGREEMENT ON HOW MANY ARMY DIVISIONS, NAVY SHIPS AND AIR FORCE WINGS WILL BE REQUIRED.

AS A RESULT, TAYLOR SAID, THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE DOES THE BEST HE CAN TO DETERMINE THE FORCES NECESSARY TO PUT INTO EFFECT THE AGREED STRATEGY.

THIS DREW THE IRE OF SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRMAN GEORGE MAHON (D-TEX) WHO ACCUSED THE JOINT CHIEFS OF NOT HELPING CONGRESS AND THE DEFENSE SECRETARY AND OF LEAVING "THE AMERICAN PEOPLE OUT ON A LIMB."

MAHON SAID THE CHIEFS SHOULD "KEEP THEIR FEET TO THE FIRE" UNTIL THEY REACH DECISIONS ON SUCH MATTERS AS HOW MANY DIVISIONS THE ARMY SHOULD HAVE, WHETHER MORE B52 JET BOMBERS ARE NEEDED, AND WHETHER ANOTHER 300-MILLION-DOLLAR SUPERCARRIER SHOULD BE BUILT FOR THE NAVY.

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ALTHOUGH CRITICIZING THE JOINT CHIEFS IN THIS CONNECTION, MAHON STRESSED HE WASN'T CHALLENGING THEIR OPINIONS ON THIS COUNTRY'S OVER-ALL MILITARY STRENGTH.

"I THINK IT IS IMPORTANT FOR EVERYBODY TO KNOW THAT WE HAVE A TERRIFIC CAPABILITY FOR LAUNCHING AN UNSTOPPABLE COUNTEROFFENSIVE IF ATTACKED," THE TEXAS CONGRESSMAN SAID.

IN THEIR TESTIMONY, THE MILITARY LEADERS SAID BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA WILL HAVE A FEW COMBAT-READY 5,000-MILE RANGE BALLISTIC MISSILES LATER THIS YEAR, BUT THAT NEITHER NATION'S EARLY ROCKETS WILL BE AS DEPENDABLE OR ACCURATE AS MODELS DUE LATER.

TWINING SAID ANY SOVIET NUCLEAR ATTACK, IF MADE TODAY, WOULD BE MOUNTED WITH MANNED AIRCRAFT ALMOST ENTIRELY. HE DESCRIBED THE RUSSIAN AIR THREAT AS "NOT HALF AS BIG AS OURS, AND NOT NEARLY SO EFFECTIVE."

THE JOINT CHIEFS CHAIRMAN, AN AIR FORCE GENERAL, SAID 1,500-MILE THOR MISSILES, "READY TO GO" FROM BRITISH LAUNCHING PADS, GIVE THE WEST A FAR STRONGER ROCKET STRIKING CAPABILITY THIS YEAR.

TWINING'S REMARKS ON THIS WERE RELEASED AS THE STATE DEPARTMENT CONFIRMED THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS AGREED TO DELIVER MEDIUM RANGE MISSILES, PROBABLY JUPITERS, TO ITALY.

FROM BASES IN NORTHERN ITALY, 1,500-MILE RANGE IRBMS COULD DROP HYDROGEN DESTRUCTION ON SOUTHERN RUSSIA.

TESTIMONY BEFORE THE APPROPRIATIONS GROUP INDICATED THE AIR FORCE FEELS IT KNOWS THE LOCATION OF MAJOR STRATEGIC TARGETS IN RUSSIA.

IN HIS DETROIT SPEECH, MCELROY PICTURED AMERICA'S PRESENT STRIKING STRENGTH IN THESE TERMS:

"THE GREATEST FORCE OF HEAVY BOMBERS IN THE WORLD, THE GREATEST FORCE OF MEDIUM BOMBERS IN THE WORLD, THE ONLY CARRIER BOMBER FORCE IN THE WORLD, PLUS TACTICAL AIRCRAFT AT FORWARD BASES--ALL FOUR CAPABLE IN CONCERT OF CARRYING ATOMIC WEAPONS SUFFICIENT TO DESTROY THE SOVIET UNION IF IT SHOULD ATTACK US."

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE, THE DEFENSE SECRETARY SAID, INCLUDE IMPROVED BOMBER FORCES, SUBMARINE-FIRED BALLISTIC MISSILES--"BLOCKBUSTERS OF THE UNDERSEA," HE CALLED THEM--OTHER POWERFUL MISSILES, BETTER CARRIER STRIKING FORCES AND IMPROVED TACTICAL FIGHTER-BOMBERS.

MCELROY FIRED BACK AT THE CHARGE BY SOME DEMOCRATS THAT THE DEFENSE BUDGET FOR THE COMING FISCAL YEAR HAS BEEN LIMITED IN AN EFFORT TO BALANCE THE OVER-ALL ADMINISTRATION BUDGET.

"THIS CHARGE IS SIMPLY NOT TRUE," MCELROY SAID. "...THE DETERMINING INFLUENCE...WAS WHAT WAS REQUIRED FOR NATIONAL SECURITY."

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WITH DEFENSE BJT (300)

MINNEAPOLIS, MARCH 30 (AP)—IF THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA EVER GO TO WAR OVER BERLIN IT WON'T BE WITH RIFLES, DEFENSE SECRETARY NEIL MCELROY SAID TODAY.

THE SOVIETS, HE SAID, KNOW IT.

MCELROY COMMENTED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE ON THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE BERLIN CRISIS MIGHT LEAD TO A SHOOTING WAR.

DECISIONS TO HOLD A FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE ON THE ISSUE HAVE INCREASED THE HOPE THAT A SETTLEMENT CAN BE REACHED, HE SAID.

BUT, HE ADDED, THE UNITED STATES IS PREPARED TO FIGHT IF NECESSARY. ASKED WHETHER A WAR BETWEEN THE U.S. AND RUSSIA WOULD INVOLVE NUCLEAR WEAPONS, MCELROY REPLIED:

"WHEN RUSSIA FIGHTS THIS COUNTRY IT WON'T BE WITH RIFLES."

MCELROY SAID RUSSIA MAY TRY TO PUSH THE UNITED STATES INTO NEW "BRUSHFIRE" CONFLICTS BUT CAN BE EXPECTED TO STEER CLEAR OF NUCLEAR WAR.

THE RUSSIANS WILL CONTINUE PROBING FREE WORLD DEFENSES AND CREATE NEW TROUBLE SPOTS SIMILAR TO LEBANON, QUEMOY AND BERLIN, HE PREDICTED. SOME OF THESE, MCELROY SAID, COULD BE CLASSIFIED AS "BRUSHFIRE" ACTIONS, CAPABLE OF BEING PUT OUT BY CONVENTIONAL MEANS OF WARFARE.

BUT BERLIN, HE ADDED, IS SOMETHING ELSE.

MCELROY WAS HERE TO ADDRESS A REPUBLICAN RALLY IN MINNEAPOLIS. HIS SPEECH AT THE DINNER WAS ESSENTIALLY THE SAME AS THE ONE HE DELIVERED EARLIER IN THE DAY IN DETROIT. IN IT, THE DEFENSE CHIEF SAID THE U.S. HAS THE RETALIATORY POWER TO CRUSH THE SOVIET UNION IF IT ATTACKS.

RECENT ORDERS CUTTING THE SIZE OF THE ARMY AND MARINE CORPS WILL NOT DETRACT FROM THIS COUNTRY'S ABILITY TO HANDLE SMALL SCALE WARS, MCELROY SAID.

AS FOR THE POSSIBILITY OF A NUCLEAR STRUGGLE, HE SAID THE UNITED STATES CAN AFFORD TO LEAN STRONGLY ON AIRPOWER AT THE PRESENT BECAUSE IT HAS ADVANCE BASES FOR USE AGAINST THE SOVIETS. RUSSIA, HE SAID, DOES NOT HAVE BASES SO WELL SITUATED.

FOR THIS REASON, MCELROY SAID, THE RUSSIANS HAVE TO PUT GREATER RELIANCE ON MISSILES. THE REAL QUESTION ABOUT WHETHER THE U.S. IS PURSUING THE RIGHT COURSE MIGHT NOT COME TO A HEAD FOR THREE OR FOUR YEARS, HE ADDED.

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ADVANCE FOR 6:30 A.M. EST TODAY

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JOINT CHIEFS-STRENGTH

BY C. YATES MCDANIEL

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-THE NATION'S MILITARY LEADERS HAVE ASSURED CONGRESS THE UNITED STATES WOULD BE INVINCIBLE THIS YEAR IN AN ALL-OUT WAR--AND MORE POWER IS IN SIGHT.

ADM. ARLEIGH BURKE, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, SAID BLUNTLY THAT IF RUSSIA STARTS AN ALL-OUT WAR "WE WOULD BREAK HER BACK."

IN CENSORED VERSIONS RELEASED TODAY OF THE MILITARY LEADERS' TESTIMONY LAST JANUARY AND FEBRUARY TO THE HOUSE DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, BURKE AND GEN. MAXWELL D. TAYLOR SAID THEY THINK AMERICA ALREADY HAS TOO MUCH ATOMIC RETALIATORY POWER. TAYLOR IS THE ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF.

GEN. NATHAN F. TWINING, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, SUMMED UP THE ADMINISTRATION'S CAUSE FOR OPTIMISM.

TWINING SAID A SOVIET NUCLEAR ASSAULT, IF DELIVERED TODAY, WOULD COME ALMOST ENTIRELY FROM MANNED AIRCRAFT. AND RUSSIA'S AIR THREAT, HE ADDED, IS "NOT HALF AS BIG AS OURS AND NOT NEARLY SO EFFECTIVE."

BURKE SAID THAT IN AN ALL-OUT WAR "WE CAN DESTROY HER (RUSSIA) MANY TIMES OVER WITH THE WEAPONS WE NOW HAVE IN EXISTENCE. THERE IS NO WAY THAT SHE CAN STOP THAT. WE WOULD BREAK HER BACK."

BURKE, WHOSE NAVY WILL PACK A GROWING ATOMIC WALLOP, SAID HE THOUGHT THE UNITED STATES HAS "TOO MUCH RETALIATORY POWER." HE URGED A BIGGER SHARE OF DEFENSE SPENDING FOR SMALL WARS IN WHICH RUSSIA MIGHT NOT BE A DIRECT PARTICIPANT.

TAYLOR SAID U. S. ATOMIC RETALIATORY POWER IS OVERWHELMING. HE SAID THE NATION HAS THOUSANDS OF VEHICLES WHICH COULD RAIN NUCLEAR DESTRUCTION ON THE SOVIETS, WHEREAS, HE ADDED, THE JOB COULD BE DONE WITH HUNDREDS.

THE TESTIMONY SHOWS THE AIR FORCE IS CONFIDENT IT KNOWS THE LOCATION OF MAJOR RUSSIAN STRATEGIC TARGETS. IT ALSO SAYS IT CAN DELIVER NUCLEAR BOMBS BY MANNED AIRCRAFT WITH ACCURACY MEASURED IN FEET, COMPARED TO THE MILES EXPECTED FROM LONG RANGE MISSILES.

THE MILITARY LEADERS, BOLSTERED BY THEIR CIVILIAN DEFENSE CHIEFS IN TESTIMONY, BACKED UP THEIR CONFIDENCE WITH MANY FACTS ABOUT AMERICAN MIGHT AND INTELLIGENCE ESTIMATES OF SOVIET STRENGTH AND INTENTIONS.

THEY SAID BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA WILL HAVE A FEW OPERATIONAL INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILES LATER THIS YEAR. NEITHER

OF THESE FIRST FAMILY MISSILES WILL BE AS DEPENDABLE OR ACCURATE AS BOTH WILL BE LATER ON. THE SOVIET MISSILE WILL CARRY A SMALLER NUCLEAR PAYLOAD, IN ITS EARLY VERSION.

THE UNITED STATES IS IN A STRONGER POSITION "BY FAR" TO USE MISSILES THIS YEAR, SAID TWINING. HIS REASON: AMERICAN-BUILT THOR MISSILES, WITH 1,500 MILE RANGE AND CARRYING A NUCLEAR PAYLOAD AS BIG AS THAT OF THE 5,000 MILE ATLAS ARE "SITTING THERE AND READY TO GO" FROM BASES IN ENGLAND. MORE SUCH AMERICAN MISSILES ARE GOING TO EUROPE THIS YEAR.

THE TESTIMONY SHOWED THE MILITARY HIGH COMMAND WAS AGREED ON BROAD STRATEGIC MATTERS--BUT HAD NOT AGREED ON SUCH IMPORTANT ISSUES AS THE STRENGTH OF FORCES NEEDED TO CARRY OUT THEIR LONG RANGE PLANS.

AFTER HEARING THIS, REP. GEORGE MAHON (D-TEX), SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, STRONGLY CRITICIZED THE JOINT CHIEFS. HE ACCUSED THEM OF "NOT HELPING" CONGRESS AND THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE AND OF LEAVING "THE AMERICAN PEOPLE OUT ON A LIMB."

MAHON, HOWEVER, MADE IT CLEAR THAT NO ONE SHOULD UNDERESTIMATE AMERICAN MILITARY STRENGTH.

FURTHER TESTIMONY BY THE MILITARY LEADERS BROUGHT OUT THESE POINTS: THE RUSSIANS, SAID TWINING, HAVE MANY MORE SHORTER RANGED MISSILES THAN WE DO, BUT TO ENABLE THEM TO REACH U. S. BOMBER BASES IN WESTERN EUROPE THEY WOULD HAVE TO MOVE THEIR LAUNCHING SITES FORWARD INTO SATELLITE COUNTRIES, AND "THEY DON'T SEEM TO WANT TO RISK THAT, EXCEPT AS A LAST RESORT."

THE RUSSIANS ARE CONCEDED A POTENTIAL CAPABILITY OF HAVING MORE VERY LONG RANGE MISSILES THAN WILL THE UNITED STATES NEXT YEAR AND THROUGH 1962. BUT AIR FORCE SECRETARY JAMES H. DOUGLAS TESTIFIED THAT THE RUSSIANS MAY BE HAVING TROUBLE WITH THEIR BIG MISSILES.

AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE BELIEVES THE REDS HAVE HAD SEVERAL MISSILE LAUNCHING FAILURES, AND THAT THEY FAILED TWICE, PERHAPS THREE TIMES, BEFORE SENDING A VEHICLE PAST THE MOON TOWARD THE SUN.

IN THE MEANTIME, DOUGLAS, TWINING AND AIR FORCE OFFICIALS TESTIFIED, THE UNITED STATES IS PERFECTING ITS OWN LONG RANGE MISSILES, BUT CONTINUING TO BUILD MORE BOMBERS AND TO PUT ITS MAJOR FAITH IN MANNED AIRCRAFT TO DELIVER VASTLY MORE POWERFUL NUCLEAR BOMBS.

THE U. S. AIR FORCE IS BUILDING MORE AND BETTER BOMBERS. THE RUSSIANS HAVE SLOWED DOWN THEIR PRODUCTION.

EVEN GRANTING THE SOVIETS A CONSIDERABLE ADVANTAGE IN NUMBERS OF INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILES A YEAR OR TWO FROM NOW, GEN. TWINING CONTENTS THAT THE FIRST SHOT THE RUSSIANS FIRE IN ATOMIC ANGER WILL GIVE THE ALARM: "SAC (STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND) GOES AND WE HAVE HIM OVER THE BARREL."

AS FOR THE LOCATION OF MAJOR RUSSIAN STRATEGIC TARGETS, GEN. THOMAS D. WHITE, AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF, SAID "WE KNOW WHERE THEIR MAJOR AIR BASES ARE; WHERE THEIR MAJOR GOVERNMENT CONTROL CENTERS ARE; WHERE THEIR AIR DEFENSE CENTERS ARE, WHERE THEIR SENSITIVE INDUSTRIAL TARGETS ARE; WHERE THEIR GASOLINE REFINERIES AND STORAGE SITE ARE."

THE AIR FORCE ALSO TESTIFIED TO ITS FAITH IN ITS WARNING SYSTEM--TWO TO SIX HOURS FOR MANNED AIRCRAFT, 15 MINUTES FOR A MISSILE ATTACK WHEN THE NEW MISSILE WARNING SYSTEM IS COMPLETED.

TO MEET THAT SHORT WARNING TIME, A PORTION, NOW BUILDING UP TO ONE-THIRD, OF ALL STRATEGIC FORCE BOMBERS ARE ON 15 MINUTE ALERT, LOADED WITH NUCLEAR BOMBS AND FUEL AND WITH CREWS STANDING BY.

AGAINST THE TIME WHEN THE ENEMY LONG RANGE MISSILE THREAT SEEMS IMMINENT, THE AIR FORCE IS TESTING AN AIRBORNE ALERT. GEN. WHITE STATED HIS BELIEF THAT IN SUCH A CRISIS, 93 PER CENT OF THE BOMBERS IN THE AIR WOULD BE IN POSITION TO FLY ON TO THEIR TARGETS. SUCH A CRISIS ALERT WOULD COST WELL OVER ONE BILLION DOLLARS MORE IN MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING FUNDS THAN ARE NOW SCHEDULED.

THE AIR FORCE TOLD THE CONGRESSMEN THAT UP TO 8 OF THE 10 INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILES SITES ALREADY ANNOUNCED WILL BE "HARDENED." THIS MEANS THAT THE MISSILES, FUEL SUPPLIES AND LAUNCHING EQUIPMENT WILL BE PUT UNDERGROUND AND PROTECTED BY REINFORCED CONCRETE CAPABLE OF WITHSTANDING PRESSURES FROM A NUCLEAR BOMB THAT BURSTS OVERHEAD IN THE AIR. A DIRECT HIT ON THE GROUND RIGHT OVER A MISSILE COULD PROVE ANOTHER MATTER.

EACH OF THE 10 LONG RANGE MISSILE SQUADRONS WILL HAVE 10 MISSILES. IN WAR, THE 10 MISSILES WOULD BE FIRED IN SALVO. SPARE MISSILES WOULD BE KEPT AT A STORAGE POINT OUTSIDE NUCLEAR DESTRUCTION RANGE OF THE LAUNCHING SIGHTS. IF THE SITE SURVIVED AN ENEMY ATTACK, THE RELOADS COULD BE MOVED IN AND SENT OFF FROM THE SAME LAUNCHERS.

THE FIRST ATLAS BIT MISSILES ARE ALREADY ON HAND AT VANDENBERG BASE IN CALIFORNIA. WHILE THE WEAPON IS UNDERGOING FURTHER TEST FIRINGS, CREWS ARE BEING TRAINED. THE VANDENBERG SQUADRON WILL BE PARTIALLY OPERATIONAL BEFORE THE END OF THIS YEAR. IMPROVED GUIDANCE SYSTEMS ARE BEING BUILT INTO ATLASES SCHEDULED FOR SIX OTHER BASES.

THREE SQUADRONS OF TITAN INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILES ARE SCHEDULED. THEY ARE MORE ADVANCED, MORE POWERFUL AND MAY CARRY A NUCLEAR PAYLOAD NEARLY TWICE AS BIG AS THAT TO GO INTO ATLAS WARHEADS. TITAN LAUNCHING BASES WILL ALL BE UNDERGROUND.

THE AIR FORCE PLACES GREAT HOPES IN THE "MINUTEMAN"--A SOLID FUELED INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILE. IT WON'T BE READY FOR TEST FIRINGS FOR SEVERAL YEARS.

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ADVANCE FOR 6:30 A.M. EST TODAY

(370) MAHON-JOINT CHIEFS

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)--A HOUSE LEADER HAS ACCUSED U.S. MILITARY CHIEFS OF LEAVING "THE AMERICAN PEOPLE OUT ON A LIMB" BY NOT AGREEING ON MANY IMPORTANT ARMS MATTERS.

REP. GEORGE MAHON (D-TEX), CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, CHARGED THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF "ARE NOT THE ADVISORY GROUP THE NATION EXPECTS."

MAHON FIRED HIS STRONG CRITICISM AT THE HIGH COMMAND AFTER HEARING TESTIMONY THAT ALTHOUGH THEY ARE AGREED ON BROAD STRATEGIC CONCEPTS, THEY HAVE NOT AGREED ON THE STRENGTH OF FORCES NEEDED TO CARRY OUT THEIR LONG RANGE PLANS.

A HEAVILY CENSORED VERSION OF THE JOINT CHIEFS' TESTIMONY TAKEN BY THE COMMITTEE IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY WAS MADE PUBLIC TODAY.

WHILE CRITICIZING THE MILITARY LEADERS, MAHON MADE IT CLEAR NO ONE SHOULD UNDERESTIMATE AMERICAN MILITARY MIGHT.

"I THINK IT IS IMPORTANT," MAHON SAID, "FOR EVERYBODY TO KNOW THAT WE HAVE A TERRIFIC CAPABILITY FOR LAUNCHING AN UNSTOPPABLE COUNTER-OFFENSIVE IF ATTACKED. I DO NOT WANT TO MAKE THIS COUNTRY APPEAR NAKED TO ITS ENEMIES. I KNOW THAT WE ARE NOT."

INCLUDED IN TESTIMONY LEADING TO MAHON'S CRITICISM WAS THAT OF GEN. MAXWELL TAYLOR, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, WHO SAID THE JOINT CHIEFS:

1. NEVER REACHED COMPLETE AGREEMENT ON "FORCE TABS" SETTING FORTH HOW MANY ARMY DIVISIONS, NAVY SHIPS AND AIR FORCE WINGS OF VARIOUS TYPES WILL BE REQUIRED TO EXECUTE STRATEGIC PLANS.
2. NEVER PASSED ON AN ADDITIONAL 70 B-52 BOMBERS FOR THE AIR FORCE.
3. NEVER SPECIFICALLY APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED THE PROPOSED ARMY CUT-BACK TO 370,000 MEN.
4. NEVER CONSIDERED FUNDS FOR AN ADDITIONAL SUPER-CARRIER FOR THE NAVY.

MAHON SHOT BACK:

"WHAT ARE THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF WORTH IF THEY DO NOT TAKE UP THINGS AS BIG AS A 300 MILLION DOLLAR SUPERCARRIER? IT IS RIDICULOUS TO THINK THAT WEAPONS AS BASIC AND BIG...SHOULD NOT BE CONSIDERED."

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THE TEXAN RAKED THE CHIEFS FOR "NOT HELPING" CONGRESS AND THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, AND FOR LEAVING "THE AMERICAN PEOPLE OUT ON A LIMB."

MAHON CHIDED THE CHIEFS FOR "NOT EVEN TAKING TIME" TO DISCUSS WHETHER THERE SHOULD BE A NUCLEAR OR CONVENTIONALLY POWERED CARRIER AND FOR FAILING TO DETERMINE HOW MANY DIVISIONS THE ARMY SHOULD HAVE. THEY SHOULD "KEEP THEIR FEET TO THE FIRE," MAHON SAID, UNTIL THEY REACH DECISIONS.

IN TESTIFYING ABOUT THE FORCE TABS, TAYLOR SAID THE CHIEFS "HAVE NEVER REACHED COMPLETE AGREEMENT ON THESE FORCE TABS...WE HAVE ALWAYS SPLIT ON IMPORTANT PARTS OF THE FORCE TABS." WITH THE RESULT THAT THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE "DOES THE BEST HE CAN" TO DETERMINE THE FORCES NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE AGREED STRATEGY.

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ADVANCE FOR 1 P.M. EST TODAY

MCELROY (470)

(ADVANCE) DETROIT, MARCH 30 (AP)--DEFENSE SECRETARY NEIL MCELROY SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES HAS NUCLEAR WEAPON POWER "SUFFICIENT TO DESTROY THE SOVIET UNION IF IT SHOULD ATTACK US."

HE SAID THAT THE UNANIMOUS OPINION OF HIS TOP MILITARY ADVISORS IS THAT THIS POWER ALSO IS ADEQUATE TO DISCOURAGE ANY ALL-OUT ATTACK ON THIS COUNTRY OR THE REST OF THE FREE WORLD.

POISED AND READY TO DAUNT ANY SUCH ATTACK, MCELROY SAID, IS A COMPOSITE FORCE WHICH HE DESCRIBED THIS WAY:

"THE GREATEST FORCE OF HEAVY BOMBERS IN THE WORLD, THE GREATEST FORCE OF MEDIUM BOMBERS IN THE WORLD, THE ONLY CARRIER BOMBER FORCE IN THE WORLD, PLUS TACTICAL AIRCRAFT AT FORWARD BASES--ALL FOUR CAPABLE IN CONCERT OF CARRYING ATOMIC WEAPONS SUFFICIENT TO DESTROY THE SOVIET UNION IF IT SHOULD ATTACK US."

U. S. FORCES ALSO ARE TAILORED TO MEET THE THREAT OF LIMITED AGGRESSION, THE DEFENSE CHIEF SAID IN A SPEECH ~~PREPARED FOR DELIVERY~~ TO THE ECONOMIC CLUB OF DETROIT.

AS FOR THE FUTURE, MCELROY SAID:

"IN SUM, DOWN THE ROAD AS FAR AS OUR MILITARY PLANNERS CAN SEE WE WILL CONTINUE TO NEED AND WILL HAVE AN OPTIMUM MIX OF GENERAL WAR DETERRENTS PLUS MOBILE FORCES CAPABLE OF HANDLING LIMITED WARS."

MCELROY, LIKE OTHER RECENT PENTAGON SPEAKERS, RETORTED TO CRITICISM IN SOME CONGRESSIONAL QUARTERS OF THE METHOD OF PROVIDING FOR DEFENSE.

"THE CHARGE HAS BEEN MADE BY SOME THAT THE SIZE OF OUR DEFENSE BUDGET FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR HAS BEEN LIMITED IN ORDER THAT THE BUDGET MIGHT BE BALANCED," MCELROY SAID, WITHOUT MENTIONING NAMES.

"THIS CHARGE IS SIMPLY NOT TRUE," HE ADDED. "THERE IS NO QUESTION THAT THIS ADMINISTRATION DESIRES TO BALANCE INCOME AND OUTGO. THIS IS MERELY SOUND FISCAL POLICY. BUT SUCH A DESIRE DID NOT HAVE A DETERMINING INFLUENCE ON THE SIZE OF THE DEFENSE BUDGET. THE DETERMINING INFLUENCE ON THAT BUDGET WAS WHAT WAS REQUIRED FOR NATIONAL SECURITY."

ON THE CAPABILITY FOR COPING WITH LIMITED AGGRESSION, MCELROY SAID AMERICAN FORCES ARE TAILORED TO MEET SUCH A THREAT AND THAT, ADDITIONALLY, WE HAVE BEEN HELPING BUILD UP MILITARY STRENGTH IN FREE NATIONS FOR THE SAME PURPOSE.

"IMPORTANT ALLIED FREE WORLD FORCES EXIST TODAY AND THEY HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED TO BOTH COMPLEMENT AND SUPPLEMENT OUR OWN ARMED STRENGTH," THE SECRETARY SAID. "THEY HAVE RAISED OVER THEM THE PROTECTIVE UMBRELLA OF OUR ABILITY TO DETER A GENERAL WAR AND ARE ASSURED OF THE HELP OF OUR VERY EFFECTIVE LIMITED WAR FORCES."

"WE CAN LAND TROOPS BY SEA OR AIR AS WE DID IN LEBANON OR BRING BOTH SEA AND AIR POWER TO BEAR QUICKLY IN A SUPPORTING ROLE AS IN THE QUEMOY CRISIS. IN SHORT, OUR MOBILE POWER CREATES THE KIND OF ATMOSPHERE IN WHICH LOCAL FORCES CAN PROTECT THEIR OWN REAL ESTATE WITH THEIR OWN MANPOWER AND THEIR OWN WEAPONS."

"THE FACT THAT COMMUNIST EFFORTS HAVE FAILED TO TAKE OVER PARTS OF THE FREE WORLD IS A TRUE MEASURE OF THE FREE WORLD'S ABILITY TO RESIST LIMITED AGGRESSION."

TURNING TO THE ESTIMATED MILITARY POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE FUTURE, MCELROY SAID:

"WE BELIEVE THAT OUR PLANNED MILITARY PROGRAMS WILL KEEP US, AS WE ARE NOW, AHEAD OF THE SOVIET UNION IN OVER-ALL STRENGTH AT ANY PROJECTED POINT IN THE FUTURE."

IN THE FUTURE "MIX OF MEANS FOR DELIVERY OF GREAT DESTRUCTION" MCELROY INCLUDED IMPROVED BOMBER FORCES, SUBMARINE-BASED BALLISTIC MISSILES WHICH HE DESCRIBED AS "BLOCKBUSTERS OF THE UNDERSEA" WITH AN IMMENSE KNOCKOUT PUNCH, POWERFUL MISSILES, IMPROVED CARRIER STRIKING FORCES AND TACTICAL FIGHTER-BOMBERS STATIONED AROUND THE PERIPHERY OF COMMUNIST TERRITORY.

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ADVANCE FOR 6:30 A.M. EST TODAY
(300) HARRIMAN

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-AVERELL HARRIMAN TODAY CALLED PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S REQUEST FOR 700 MILLION DOLLARS FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LOANS ABROAD NEXT FISCAL YEAR "SHOCKINGLY INADEQUATE." HE URGED IT BE DOUBLED.

THE FORMER DEMOCRATIC GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK, JUST BACK FROM A FIVE WEEKS' SURVEY IN INDIA AND PAKISTAN, BORE DOWN ON DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS TRYING TO WITHHOLD OR CUT DOWN EISENHOWER'S REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL DEVELOPMENT LOAN FUNDS FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR.

IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR A WOMAN'S NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC CLUB LUNCHEON, HARRIMAN SAID IT "MAKES NO SENSE AT ALL TO OPPOSE A SENSIBLE PROGRAM FOR NATIONAL INVESTMENT ABROAD IN SUPPORT OF A FREE WORLD ECONOMY MERELY TO SHOW RESENTMENT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT."

"THIS MUST NOT HAPPEN," THE NEW YORKER ADDED. "IT WOULD BE AN EXTREMELY FOOLISH AND SHORT-SIGHTED THING TO DO. A MUCH MORE FITTING AND SENSIBLE REBUKE TO THE PRESIDENT WOULD BE TO DOUBLE HIS FIGURE AND PASS IT THROUGH CONGRESS WITH LARGE MAJORITIES."

ALTHOUGH ASKING FOR 700 MILLION DOLLARS FOR THE LOAN FUND FOR THE YEAR STARTING NEXT JULY 1, EISENHOWER ALSO IS SEEKING AN ADDITIONAL 225 MILLION FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS FISCAL PERIOD. THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE REFUSED TO RECOMMEND ANYTHING FOR THE REST OF THIS YEAR, BUT THE HOUSE APPROVED 100 MILLION DOLLARS. THIS ITEM IS NOW UP TO THE SENATE.

"A VOTE AGAINST ADEQUATE AID FOR WORLD ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT IS A VOTE FOR KHRUSHCHEV AND FOR THE SPREAD OF COMMUNIST DOMINATION IN THE WORLD," HARRIMAN SAID.

THE FORMER GOVERNOR SAID THE 700 MILLION DOLLARS FOR LONG TERM, EASY PAYMENT LOANS TO UNDERDEVELOPED NATIONS TO IMPROVE THEIR LIVING STANDARDS CANNOT POSSIBLY DO THE JOB THAT NEEDS TO BE DONE.

"IT DEMONSTRATES POOR BUSINESS SENSE AND DISASTROUS DISREGARD OF THE DANGERS WE FACE IN THE WORLD TODAY," HE SAID.

HE ADDED IT WAS A CHOICE BETWEEN PROVIDING SUFFICIENT CAPITAL TO BUILD SELF-GENERATING ECONOMIES IN FREEDOM OR DOLING MONEY OUT IN DRIBBLES AND FORCING NEEDY COUNTRIES TO ADOPT TYRANNICAL CONTROLS AND ALLEGIANCE TO COMMUNISM.

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WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-SENS. EUGENE J. MCCARTHY (D-MINN) AND THRUSTON B. MORTON (R-KY) WERE NAMED TODAY TO THE U. S. NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO).

UNESCO WORKS FOR EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE AMONG MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS. THE U. S. COMMISSION ADVISES WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON UNESCO AFFAIRS IN RELATION TO U. S. POLICY.

ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER MADE THE APPOINTMENTS.

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(110) TANKS

WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THAT THE CHRYSLER CORP. WILL GET AN ORDER WITHIN 60 DAYS FOR 180 NEW M60 TANKS AT THE GOVERNMENT-OWNED ORDNANCE PLANT IN NEWARK, DEL.

OFFICIALLY DESCRIBED BY THE ARMY AS ITS "MAIN BATTLE TANK," THE 52-TON VEHICLE WILL EVENTUALLY BE PRODUCED IN LARGER QUANTITIES. THE ARMY SAID THAT NEGOTIATIONS ARE NOW UNDER WAY WITH CHRYSLER TO START THIS LIMITED PRODUCTION AND THAT LATER OTHER INTERESTED MANUFACTURERS WILL BE GIVEN A CHANCE TO BID FOR WORK ON THE M60.

A UNIQUE FEATURE OF THE NEW TANK WILL BE ITS BRITISH-MADE 105 MM. GUN, SAID BY THE ARMY TO BE CAPABLE OF "DEFEATING ALL ARMORED VEHICLES KNOWN TO EXIST."

EVENTUALLY THE M60 WILL REPLACE THE PATTON TANK, NOW THE BACKBONE OF THE AMERICAN ARMORED FORCE, AND THE HEAVIER 60-TON M103.

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(250) POLARIS

WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)-THE NAVY IS CONTINUING TO URGE A SPEED-UP OF ITS POLARIS MISSILE LAUNCHING SUBMARINE PROGRAM, BUT DEFENSE OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT BARRING A CHANGE OF MIND, DEVELOPMENT WILL FOLLOW THE PLANNED SCHEDULE.

AS EARLY AS JANUARY 1958, THE NAVY TESTIFIED FAVORING THE SPEEDIER BUILDING OF A FLEET OF ATOMIC POWERED SUBMARINES EACH CAPABLE OF LAUNCHING 16 NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE MISSILES. SIX POLARIS SUBMARINES ARE NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION AND ADVANCED WORK ON THREE ADDITIONAL VESSELS IS SCHEDULED TO START IN JULY.

THE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR STARTING IN JULY CONTAINS REQUESTS FOR FUNDS TO START AN ADDITIONAL THREE, MAKING A TOTAL OF 12 IN THE PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATION.

EARLIER THIS MONTH ADM. ARLEIGH BURKE, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, TESTIFIED TO THE SENATE PREPAREDNESS SUBCOMMITTEE THAT HE WAS CONTINUING TO RECOMMEND EXPEDITING THE POLARIS.

BURKE SAID ALSO THE NAVY HAD SUBMITTED A PLAN TO THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT LOOKING TOWARD THE INSTALLATION OF POLARIS MISSILES ON SURFACE SHIPS.

THE SPEED-UP SCHEDULE WOULD CALL FOR AN INCREASE OF BETWEEN SIX AND 12 POLARIS SUBMARINES. THAT WOULD REQUIRE ADDITIONAL MONEY IN THE NEW BUDGET AND MIGHT REQUIRE THE NAVY TO CUT BACK ON OTHER PROJECTS.

THE NAVY SAID THAT IF ADDITIONAL MONEY AND APPROVAL WERE GIVEN EARLY THIS YEAR AND EVEN MORE FUNDS PROVIDED IN THE NEXT SEVERAL YEARS, THE 15TH POLARIS SUBMARINE COULD BE READY FOR SEA ABOUT MARCH 1963, WITH SUBSEQUENT SUBMARINES FOLLOWING AT THE RATE OF ONE PER MONTH.

UNDER PRESENT SCHEDULES, THE FIRST POLARIS SUBMARINE WILL BE OPERATIONAL BY THE END OF 1960. FOUR ADDITIONAL SUBMARINES WILL BE READY FOR SEA DUTY BY APRIL 1961, WITH THE REMAINING SHIPS OF THE 12-VESSEL PROGRAM READY FOR USE IN 1963.

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(500) WASHINGTON, MARCH 30 (AP)—THE PRESENT CONDITION OF THE UNITED STATES FLEET IS BAD, AND IT IS NOT IN AN ACCEPTABLE STATE OF READINESS, IN THE OPINION OF A CIVILIAN TEAM OF EXPERTS. THE GROUP SAID THE NAVY HASN'T BEEN GIVEN SUFFICIENT FUNDS TO MEET INCREASING RESPONSIBILITIES. IT URGED A SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN FUNDS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE DURING THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR.

THE WASHINGTON POST SAID A NAVY SOURCE REPORTED A FOUR-YEAR IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM COSTING IN EXCESS OF ONE BILLION DOLLARS HAS BEEN PREPARED.

APPROVAL OF THE NECESSARY FUNDS WOULD BE UP TO CONGRESS.

THE SURVEY TEAM CONSISTED OF W. E. BLEWETT, JR., PRESIDENT OF THE NEWPORT NEWS SHIPBUILDING AND DRYDOCK CO., L. H. QUACKENBUSH, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE STATE MARINE LINES, A STEAMSHIP OPERATOR, AND R. E. GIBSON, DIRECTOR OF THE JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY APPLIED SCIENCE LABORATORY.

THEY HAD BEEN INVITED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY TO EXAMINE AND REPORT ON THE FLEET WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING PROBLEMS.

AS PART OF THE SURVEY THE THREE-MAN TEAM PERSONALLY INSPECTED 36 NAVAL SHIPS IN THE ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC FLEETS, INCLUDING CARRIERS, CRUISERS, DESTROYERS, SUBMARINES, AMPHIBIOUS AND AUXILIARY CRAFT.

THE SURVEY TEAM MADE ITS STUDY ON THE ASSUMPTION, IT SAID, THAT "READINESS FOR WAR IMPOSES ON THE FLEET STANDARDS OF SEAWORTHINESS, RELIABILITY AND PERFORMANCE THAT WILL ASSURE OPERATIONS AT SEA WITHOUT THE HAZARDS OF MATERIAL CASUALTIES."

IN A PARTIALLY CENSORED VERSION OF ITS REPORT, THE SURVEY TEAM SAID "OUR OBSERVATIONS AND AN EVALUATION OF THE INFORMATION BEFORE US LEAD TO ONE INESCAPABLE CONCLUSION: THE U.S. FLEET IS NOT IN AN ACCEPTABLE STATE OF READINESS; ... DRASTIC ACTION WAS URGED TO REVERSE THE MOUNTING DETEIORATION NOW IN PROGRESS."

THE SURVEY GROUP SAID IT BELIEVES "THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF THIS SITUATION IS AN EVER WIDENING GAP BETWEEN THE RESPONSIBILITIES ASSIGNED TO THE NAVY AND THE FINANCIAL RESOURCES ALLOCATED TO IT FOR CARRYING OUT THESE RESPONSIBILITIES."

"OVER A PERIOD OF YEARS," THE GROUP SAID, "THE OPERATIONAL LOAD OF THE NAVY HAS BEEN RELENTLESSLY HEAVY; OVER AND OVER AGAIN IT HAS HAD TO DEPLOY TO MEET A SERIES OF CRISES CHARACTERISTIC MORE OF WARTIME RATHER THAN OF PEACETIME CONDITIONS. THE PROPORTION OF TIME ALLOWED FOR REPAIRS AND UPKEEP BY THE SHIP CREWS, REINFORCED BY TENDERS, HAS BEEN CORRESPONDINGLY SMALL...."

"WE ARE CONVINCED THAT THE SHORTAGE OF FUNDS WHICH HAS PERMITTED ONLY URGENT AND EMERGENCY REPAIRS DURING THE LAST 8 TO 10 YEARS HAS RESULTED IN THE U.S. NAVY SHIPS HAVING A DEGREE OF MAINTENANCE WHICH IS FOUND TO BE BELOW THE STANDARDS OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE MERCHANT FLEET...."

"INQUIRY HAS SHOWN THAT INSOFAR AS THEY WENT, FUNDS FOR OVERHAUL IN SHIPYARDS WERE PRUDENTLY EXPENDED. FURTHERMORE, EXTENSIVE AND EFFECTIVE USE HAS BEEN MADE OF THE SHIP PERSONNEL AND OF TENDERS IN MAKING REPAIRS AND IN CARRYING OUT MAINTENANCE WITHIN THEIR CAPABILITIES AND CAPACITIES. THE ENTHUSIASM, INDUSTRY AND SPIRIT SHOWN BY THE OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN IN LOOKING AFTER THEIR SHIPS WAS A SOURCE OF REAL PRIDE TO US AS CITIZENS; WE WERE NOT SO PROUD OF THE FINANCIAL SUPPORT GIVEN THEM."

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BY RENNIE TAYLOR

ASSOCIATED PRESS SCIENCE WRITER

SAN FRANCISCO, MARCH 30 (AP)—A NOBEL SCIENTIST ESTIMATED TODAY 30,000 AMERICANS WILL DIE OF CANCER OR WILL DEVELOP SERIOUS DISEASE FROM THE FALLOUT OF ATOM BOMBS SO FAR TESTED.

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IF THE TESTING CONTINUES, HE SAID, THE CASUALTY RATE CAN BE SEVEN TIMES HIGHER THAN THAT. AND, HE ADDED, RADIATION FROM PRESENT FALLOUT CAN BE EXPECTED TO PRODUCE MENTAL DEFECTS IN 23,000 PERSONS YET UNBORN.

THE PREDICTIONS WERE MADE BY DR. LINUS PAULING, OF THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AT A PRESS CONFERENCE. HE LATER ADDRESSED A DINNER MEETING OF THE AMERICAN ORTHOPSYCHIATRIC ASSN.

IN GIVING HIS ESTIMATES, DR. PAULING SAID THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION HAD BEEN LESS THAN HONEST IN EVALUATING THE EXTENT TO WHICH FALLOUT IS LIKELY TO AFFECT ADVERSELY THE HEALTH OF THE PUBLIC.

HE SAID HIS ESTIMATES OF THE HAZARDS WERE 1,000 TIMES GREATER THAN THOSE RECENTLY GIVEN BY GEN. HERBERT B. LOPEL, AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE. PAULING SAID GENERAL LOPEL ESTIMATED THAT THE PROBABILITY OF ANYONE BEING ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY CARBON 14 AND CESIUM 137--TWO OF THE RADIO-ACTIVE ELEMENTS IN FALLOUT--WAS 1 IN 500,000.

PAULING'S ESTIMATE FOR THE SAME SET OF CONDITIONS WAS ONE IN 500 IN CASE TESTING IS CONTINUED, AND ONE IN 3,500 IF NO FURTHER BOMBS ARE EXPLODED.

DR. PAULING'S 50,000 FIGURE IS WHAT HE CALLED A "STEAD STATE" ESTIMATE BASED ON THE PRESENT POPULATION. IT MEANS THAT FOR EVERY 175,000,000 PEOPLE, HIS FIGURE FOR THE U. S. POPULATION, THERE WILL BE 30,000 CASUALTIES. THE TIME ELEMENT IS NOT A FACTOR.

OTHER THAN SAYING HE FIGURED OUT HIS OWN ESTIMATED FROM AVAILABLE DATA, DR. PAULING DID NOT GO INTO DETAIL AS TO HOW HE REACHED HIS CONCLUSION.

A CONSISTENT ADVOCATE OF BANNING FURTHER TESTS, DR. PAULING SAID THERE COULD BE A WAY OF RIDDING THE HUMAN GENETIC SYSTEM OF MANY DEFECTS.

THIS COULD BE DONE, HE ASSERTED, BY HOLDING THE LINE ON BOMB TESTING, BY SHIELDING HUMAN REPRODUCTIVE ORGANS AGAINST X RAYS AND BY ENCOURAGING VOLUNTARY BIRTH CONTROL AMONG FAMILIES KNOWN TO CARRY DISEASE-PRODUCING FACTORS IN THEIR HEREDITARY MAKEUP.

THERE ARE PERHAPS 100 DIFFERENT KINDS OF DISEASE TRACEABLE TO BAD HEREDITARY FACTORS, HE ADDED.

"THESE DEFECTIVES NOW ARE FOSTERED," HE SAID, "BECAUSE MODERN MEDICINE HAS THE MEANS OF SAVING THE LIVES OF INDIVIDUALS WHO OTHERWISE WOULD DIE OUT BECAUSE OF THEIR GENETIC FAULTS. I THINK THE TIME IS APPROACHING WHEN WE WILL DO MORE ABOUT PROPAGATING DEFECTIVES THAN THROUGH STERILIZATION, AS IS NOW POSSIBLE IN SOME STATES."

DR. PAULING, A CHEMIST, WON THE NOBEL PRIZE FOR STUDIES SHOWING THAT SOME DISEASES ARE DUE TO DEFECTIVE MOLECULES IN THE MAKEUP OF CELLS.

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SAN DIEGO, CALIF., MARCH 30 (AP)—THE NAVY SAID TODAY 14 SHIPS OF AMPHIBIOUS SQUADRON 1 WOULD LEAVE APRIL 16 TO REPLACE SQUADRON 7 WITH THE 7TH FLEET IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC.

THE MOVEMENT IS ROUTINE.

EACH SQUADRON OF THE FOUR IN THE PACIFIC FLEET AMPHIBIOUS COMMAND IS COMPOSED OF ATTACK TRANSPORTS AND LANDING SHIPS.

NORMALLY ONE IS WITH THE 7TH FLEET, TWO ARE AT THEIR HOME BASES HERE OR AT LONG BEACH AND ONE IS UNDERGOING OVERHAUL.

SQUADRON 7 WILL RETURN TO LONG BEACH.

CAPT. CHARLES E. KING OF SQUADRON 1 TOLD THE SAN DIEGO UNION IN AN INTERVIEW THAT HIS SHIPS WERE READY TO PUT MARINES ASHORE ANY TIME IT WAS CALLED UPON TO DO SO.

"I FEEL THAT THE WHOLE SQUADRON IS SHARPENED AND READY TO GO," HE SAID. "WE'LL LAND WHEREVER AND WHENEVER DIRECTED."
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HOUSTON, TEX., MARCH 30 (AP)-THE PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS PROPOSED TODAY THE NATION'S MOUNTING PILES OF ATOMIC REACTOR WASTES BE STORED IN VAST UNDERGROUND CRYPTS ON THE TEXAS AND LOUISIANA COASTS.

DR. DONALD L. KATZ SAID HE BELIEVES SUCH "HOT" RADIOACTIVE WASTE SHOULD BE BURIED IN HIGH PRESSURE SAND POCKETS ABOUT 8,000 FEET DEEP. HE SAID THE PECULIAR PRESSURE RESERVOIRS OCCUR, AS FAR AS HE KNOWS, ONLY IN COASTAL AREAS OF THE TWO STATES.

"IT'S THE SAFEST PLACE I CAN THINK OF TO PUT THE WASTE," HE SAID IN AN INTERVIEW.

DR. KATZ, CHAIRMAN OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICAL AND METALLURGICAL ENGINEERING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, WAS HERE TO ADDRESS A REGIONAL MEETING OF THE CHEMICAL SOCIETY.

ATOMIC WASTE COULD BE PUMPED INTO THE POCKETS WITHOUT FEAR THAT IT WOULD "TRAVEL" UNDERGROUND, DR. KATZ SAID.

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(300) NIGHT LEAD

MIAMI, FLA., MARCH 30 (AP)-SEN. HUBERT HUMPHREY (D-MINN) SAID TODAY THE STATE DEPARTMENT NEEDS "SOMEBODY IN CHARGE" NOW, DURING A GLOBAL COLD WAR WHICH HE LIKENED TO "A LIFE AND DEATH WORLD SERIES WITHOUT BENEFIT OF SPRING TRAINING."

HUMPHREY ADDRESSED THE DADE COUNTY BAR ASSN. ON A DAY WHEN SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES FLEW TO SOUTH FLORIDA TO RECUPERATE FROM CANCER.

"I HAVE THE HIGHEST REGARD FOR THE SECRETARY," HUMPHREY SAID. "MAY HIS HEALTH BE RESTORED...BUT WE CANNOT HAVE SENTIMENTALITY IN OUR FOREIGN POLICY NOW. WE NEED PEOPLE IN CHARGE 24 HOURS A DAY."

HUMPHREY, A FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID UNITED STATES FOREIGN POLICY WAS WEAK IN TREATING "EACH CRISIS, EACH PROBLEM AS A SEPARATE PROBLEM. EACH SHOULD BE A PART OF THE WORLD PROBLEM WHICH IS A TOTALITARIAN ISSUE."

"FRANKLY," HUMPHREY SAID, "OUR STATE DEPARTMENT AND OUR PRESIDENT HAVE NOT GRASPED THE NECESSITY OF DEALING WITH THESE ON A COMBINED, GLOBAL BASIS."

"WE ARE IN A LIFE-AND-DEATH WORLD SERIES. IT'S A WORLD SERIES WITHOUT THE BENEFIT OF SPRING TRAINING, ON A WINNER-TAKE-ALL BASIS."

HUMPHREY SAID BERLIN IS NOT JUST ANOTHER INTERNATIONAL CRISIS.

"IT IS PROBABLY THE CLOSEST THING TO A WORLD WAR SINCE KOREA," HE SAID.

THE MINNESOTAN SUGGESTED THAT DAG HAMMARSKJOLD, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, SIT IN IF A SUMMIT CONFERENCE IS HELD ON THE BERLIN ISSUE. HE SAID IT WOULD BE IMPRUDENT NOT TO UTILIZE UN FACILITIES IN SUCH A CONFERENCE.

"THE PRESENCE OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD MEAN THE SMYBOLIC REPRESENTATION OF ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHO MAY OBJECT TO FOUR POWERS PRESUMING TO SETTLE AN ISSUE WHICH CAN MEAN PEACE OR WAR FOR THE ENTIRE WORLD," HE SAID.

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BY MAX HARRELSON (190)

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., MARCH 30 (AP)-A FRENCH SCIENTIST SAID TODAY EXPERIMENTS ARE BEING MADE TO FIND WAYS TO ESTABLISH BONE MARROW BANKS FOR USE IN TREATING VICTIMS OF ATOMIC RADIATION.

HE IS DR. HENRI JAMMET WHO RECENTLY SAVED THE LIVES OF FOUR YUGOSLAV SCIENTISTS BY BONE MARROW TRANSFUSIONS. JAMMET, HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT

OF RADIO PATHOLOGY AT THE CURIE FOUNDATION IN PARIS, IS ATTENDING A MEETING OF THE U.N. SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE ON ATOMIC RADIATION.

A FEW DAYS AGO HE GAVE THE 15-MEMBER COMMITTEE A DETAILED PRIVATE REPORT, ILLUSTRATED WITH SLIDES, ON THE REVOLUTIONARY TREATMENT WHICH HAD BEEN DISCLOSED IN PARIS LAST MONTH.

IN THE PARIS CASES, THE YUGOSLAV SCIENTISTS RECEIVED THE MARROW INJECTIONS DIRECTLY INTO THEIR VEINS FROM DONORS.

JAMMET WAS ASKED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE HERE WHETHER IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO FORM RESERVES OF MARROW, SIMILAR TO BLOOD BANKS, FOR USE IN THE EVENT OF A CATASTROPHE IN WHICH LARGE NUMBERS OF PERSONS RECEIVED HEAVY DOSES OF RADIATION.

HE SAID SCIENTISTS ARE TRYING TO FIND OUT IF MARROW CAN BE PRESERVED BY KEEPING IT AT A FIXED TEMPERATURE.

THE MAIN PROBLEM, HE SAID, IS TO PRESERVE THE CELLS IN A WAY THAT THEY WILL SURVIVE, EVOLVE AND MULTIPLY.

THE MAIN DIFFICULTY IN MASS TREATMENT, HE SAID, WOULD BE TO FIND DONORS OF THE PROPER BLOOD TYPE AND TO GIVE THE VICTIMS THE CLOSE SUPERVISION NEEDED IN THE TRANSFUSION PROCESS.

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